Petition to the Seattle City Council:

Support Councilmember Sawant's Legislation To Require All Contractors to Fully Pay Parking For All Construction Workers!

Oct. 18, 2021

Carpenters and other construction workers are required to drive to job sites with vehicles loaded with tools, harnesses, and other equipment required for the job, but often have to pay \$100 or more a week for parking.

Shamefully, the contractors, who make billions of dollars in profits off the backs of workers, have refused to cover this cost in bargaining with the Northwest Carpenters Union. We stand with the rank-and-file carpenters in their courageous strike action, and unwaveringly support all of their strike demands: fully-paid parking, fully-funded benefits, family-supporting wages, improved protections against harassment in the workplace, and a 3-year contract to be united with all the other trades unions. The carpenters are not only on strike for their concrete demands, they are on strike for all of us in the working class.

We also urge the Seattle City Council to stand with union carpenters and all construction workers whose labor builds our city, and demand that Councilmembers urgently support Councilmember Kshama Sawant's legislation to require that construction contractors pay 100 percent of all parking costs for all construction workers on Seattle job sites, beginning immediately. Such a pay-for-parking requirement for contractors would be no different from the City requiring employers to meet other employment standards, like minimum wage, paid sick and safe time, secure scheduling, and the Commuter Benefits Ordinance.

First name:	Last name:	Union / Organization Affiliation	Are you a construction worker?	Please share in your own words: Why should contractor bosses pay 100% of all construction workers' parking costs?
Juan	Acosta		Yes	
Seth	Adams	Local 30 carpenter	Yes	I would like to be able to take my wife and 3 kids to a restaurant for a family dinner one night a week, rather than spend that \$100 a week just to park where I work.
Dustin	Adolphsen	Union carpenter	Yes	Contractors can write off park. Construction workers can't.
Arjay	Aguilar	Local 41	Yes	We are providing the work in building the infrastructure in Seattle and contractors should support us in doing so by paying for the rising parking cost.
Edward	Agyman		Yes	It's just fair. And the right thing
Gerry	Alferes		Yes	500 a week out of pocket is extremely outrageous
Joseph	Anderson		Yes	
Juan Miguel	Arellano	41	Yes	We building the city, I want free parking!!
jeff	armes		Yes	
Harry	Baker	Carpenters Local 70	Yes	We carry a lot of hand tools bags harnesses ect. The personnel equipment required to perform our work activities. We also work various hours so transportation to work is so important if you want to stay employed. It's difficult to find parking espicilly near a construction job where all the immediate open areas are consumed quickly. I have had coworkers that drive to work hours early to get a better price or location on top of tremendous hours already working. The contractors need to supply or reimburse for parking. After all they're the employers

Harry	Baker	Carpenters Local 70	Yes	We have to have a place to park. We end up taking a city in pay by paying our own parking. All of times in prefer to get a reasonable price for parking we have to show up early to get price. For our apprentices who start at 60 % of Journeyman wages it's larger percentage of take home we have tools and harnesses to carry plus a lunch box it's a lot to manage. We don't always work at same location so monthly rates are nice but you never now how long you will be on said job site. The contractors and owners know about how many people to expect and could plan for it. Some trades have negotiated parking into their contracts. Others don't. Some provide it for foreman and above, some provide it for General Foreman and above. They do pay some now. They are making the big money. They should be providing adequate parking for their employees. I know everyone encourages carpooling. People who carpooling wil continues. There are folks that drive from all over the state daily to work in Seattle. The lady thing they need is an expensive parking tab. I fairly as little as possible down town simply because of the parking.
Russell	Baker		Yes	
Wayne	Barnes		Yes	Every construction worker that builds permanent structures deserves paid parking
Wayne	Barnes		Yes	They make a lot of overhead
Michael	Barton		Yes	It's their responsibility as employers.
Jason	Bartos	Local 30 Carpenters	Yes	It is a business expense that can be written off. Employees should not have to pay to go to work.
Robert	Bates	Carpenters	Yes	We are there for them
Sarah	Bay		Yes	Because as construction workers we already are putting 40-60k miles on our cars every year. Least they can do is pay parking especially since we are the ones who build those parking garages.
John	Beavers		Yes	Ive worked years in seattle ive taken the ferry from Bremerton and had to pay for parking, but all the office staff managment ect all recive free parking. Then on the chance i forgot to pay the fines are so out of control. I think if they paid parking that would be fair.
Jaymison	Belew	IBEW LOCAL 46 SEATTLE	Yes	Why wouldn't they?
Avery	Bento		Yes	Because parking in downtown Seattle is expensive, especially
				considering the amount of tools and equipment that construction workers are required to haul and keep safe.

Shane	Blackford	Former local 131, former local 30, currently local 70	Yes	It's a post tax, tax for workers. I use my truck to bring tools and materials to work on someone else's project. I can't take mass transit. We can't afford to live in Seattle or Bellevue. Most other skilled trades workers already have paid parking, why not us?
TERRENCE	blanskyn	local 41	Yes	Its within our rights as workers to have paid parking because other wise we are subsidizing large corporate profits. They are required to provide safety equipment and tools so why not other expenses associated with the costs of construction. They are essentially taking money out of the pockets of workers and their families which ultimately results in lost wages.
Tika	Bordelon		Yes	
Allison	Boring	UBC Millwright Local 1554	Yes	
TIMOTHY	BOURBONNIE	Carpenters Local 30	Yes	No one would have to pay to work.
Stefanie	Brendler		Yes	
Saskia	Brown	Carpenters union local 30	Yes	Paying hundreds of dollars to park in the city that carpenters build and can't afford to live in, is a slap in the face.
Tyler	Brudevold	241	Yes	It's a hurtful amount each week
Joshua	Bryan	Carpenter local 129	Yes	
Terry	Carney	Carpenters local 30	Yes	It puts a financial strain on my household budget. I am the sole provider in my home and with the current spike in housing I am barely surviving.
ADRIANNA	Carter	Local 41	Yes	We should not have to pay to go to work. We pay for our own tools to do the job and gas to get there. We should not have to pay to park. Regular day to day employees get to park for their employer for free, we should too
Robert	Cox		Yes	It should be included in the bud of the job and not the responsibility of the worker to pay!
Robert	Cox	Carpenters Local 30	Yes	Its simple it should be a part of the construction contract that the owner/contractor pay for the parking it's simply not my burden. It takes food off the table for my family.
Abraham	Cuevas	Carpenters Local 30	Yes	

William	Cunningham	Local 41 Carpenters	Yes	Contractors understand that we need to bring all of our own tools and because of that we can not take public transportation, can not ride a bike, we can not use Uber/Lyft. We can not utilize the options other workers can for reasonable transportation. On top of a weekly cost of around \$100, it can be quite frustrating and time consuming to find parking in a lot of areas we work. This can mean leaving 15/20 earlier and losing that much more time off your own personal day, unpaid of course. If parking cannot be supplied on site, it should be on the contractor to provide that wage.
Eric	Darby	Carpenters Local 70 Burlington Washington	Yes	Parking is costing as much as a car payment and putting a huge financial stress on workers trying to provide for their families.
Eric	Darby		Yes	Because we are building making them money and the cost of Parking is to great a burden on the workers it's almost a monthly house payment when you are pay6 days of parking
Devin	Davies	Local 96	Yes	They want us to work on their jobs, they need to pay the expenses that are a requirement of working there.
Kyle	Davis		Yes	They are the ones making money off the labor and effort of the workers, the least they can do is make sure those workers can commute to the job and part without stress, hassle, and additional charges.
Alex	Decoy	Local 41	Yes	Between the cost of living, gas prices topped with long commutes, the least the rich contractors can do is provide paid parking for carpenters. Plumbers, electricians and sheet metal workers get it, why can't we? It's discrimination.
Liam	Dennehy	Carpenter (non-union) AGC	Yes	contractors should pay 100% of parking costs because workers often have to front out 100's of dollars a week just to be able to work
Joe	Dobson	LU - 30 Carpenters	Yes	Parking shouldn't cost as much as a car payment every month!
Dustin	Donovan	Local 30 Carpenters	Yes	I have to pay roughly \$6,000+/- yearly on parking alone when I work in Seattle.
Bryan	Eccleston	Local 46 ibew	Yes	Here's an example of how expensive parking can be downtown. As a 2nd year apprentice I was working a 5 day schedule during the week. But one of those days I was required to be at the apprenticeship school. So I only getting 32 hours in a week. Parking was so expensive that one full work days pay went to just paying my parking to be at work for the week. I worked 4 days a week but only received 3 days of pay because so much had to go to parking.
Stephen	Elder	Ibew 46	Yes	It's just another cost of doing business. You should not have to pay to work.

Alan	Eslinger	Local 30	Yes	They should provide parking for their workers
Arthur	Esparza	Carpenters LU30	Yes	We shouldn't have to pay a fine or a tax everyday to go to work! We all have to drive and park to bring our tools in. This should be built into contractor's bids with the developers.
Roger	Faleafine	Local 816	Yes	
Tylar	Farnsworth	Northwest carpenters local 129	Yes	It is a major expense on top of the long commute times and inflated gas prices/taxes. We struggle to fund these expenses while the billion dollar developers continue to make a fortune off the sweat on our backs.
alan	fleck	Carpenters local 70	Yes	
Jesus	Fonseca		Yes	No one should have to pay 30 dollars a day to work
Colin	Gibson	Carpenters local 70	Yes	
james	green	carpenters local 59	Yes	just like tenant need accommodations those who build these projects [infrastructure] should have parking[access] provided without effecting the [at best] barely keeping up with inflation wages!
Amanda	Guzman	Cement Masons Local 528	Yes	I have too many tools to take public transportation. I live too far from my sites to get there in time on public transportation.
Joseph	Hann	Ibew46	Yes	
Mclean	Hansen		Yes	
Eric	Harris		Yes	
Caleb	Hatch	Carpenters Local 70	Yes	It's not affordable to work and live in the city we build
Jacob	Hausman		Yes	
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Colin	Heft	Carpenters Local 70	Yes	Obviously it to late for us to afford to live in Seattle. Are commutes to Seattle are excruciating. Parking will relieve alot of the daily expenses.
Matt	Holland	IBEW Local 46	Yes	I know people to pay over \$100 a day to build in Seattle and it's not right. None of us that work in Seattle should be paying for parking. We are there to build their buildings and the least they can do is absorb the burden of having to pay for parking.
Matt	Holland	Local 46 IBEW	Yes	Because it's their building
Forrest	Hussey	Carpenters Local 30	Yes	Because they NEED us to BUILD. The only reason you should be paying to park is if you're visiting and sight seeing. It is unjust to have to PAY TO WORK.

Christopher Johnstone Local 129 Yes We build that city! Yes It's not fair to take someone's pay away from them just FOR coming to work. Derrick Keene 41 Yes Parking gets out of hand and can go up with no notice because of events and cost more then a days of work. Blake Krueger Carpenter Yes It can cost upwards of 60-120 dollars a week for the average carpenter just to go to work. We work to live- not live to work. These huge corporations are paying hundreds of millions of dollars on many of these multimillion dollar projects and yet they can't afford for us to go there to build it for them? It's absolutely ABSURD and it's a COMPLETE JOKE. Our union leadership and our EST (traver) Explored by Sapiro has proven she does not care about us by turning away Kshama Sawant's help to fight for us construction workers to have a higher quality of life. It makes me Angry and as she runs our own union and it's members into the ground as she signs back door sweet heart deals with the same corrupt people who fight us for wage increases that don't even meet the cost of living increase alone. It's simple to see that Evelyn and the carpenters union leadership flat out doesn't care for us and only cares about her 250k dollar salary and double pension and the contracts that the majority of our union has voted down multiple times now. It's simple, Evelyn thinks we're being greedy for asking for reasonable wage increases and fine and made and an and event and event and swant thinks that's something we've earned already through our hard work and devotion to these scumbag contractors.	Kris	Hutchins		Yes	As an independent Seattle subcontractor, I constantly have to factor in the cost of transportation and parking. These costs can significantly eat into individual workers' bottom lines. In a city that has already extracted so much from us due to relentless rent increases, inflated home prices, skyrocketing cost of living, etc., taking this step to ensure that the working people who makes Seattle run and grow aren't further disadvantaged is critical.
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Aaron	Lintz	Carpenters Union Local 70	Yes	Construction workers aren't making a fair wage when they are paying 30 dollars each day just to park their cars. If parking can not be provided at the jobsite then it needs to be paid for elsewhere.
River	Lovec	Local 242	Yes	
Bryan	Lynch	IBEW Local 46	Yes	We should not have to pay to park at work. Hands down.
Douglas	Maestas	IBEW46	Yes	I am an apprentice and 100+ a week is a huge hit to my take home pay. I can barely afford that without making other sacrifices in life. You want me to build these buildings then they should have to provide free parking
Mohamed	majidate		Yes	Low wages everything going expensive
Jesse	Malinowski	IBEW Local 46	Yes	When us workers finally get paid all we deserve, the boss will be broke and to work they will turn.
Tanee	Manohchompoo	Carpenter local 30	Yes	By eliminating parking cost, I would no longer need to worry about budgeting for it. Rather I can put it away for my children's education. I've been fortunate enough to have found a parking garage that doesn't charge an arm and a leg. However, others are paying up to \$25+ a day. That adds up really quickly!
Michael	Martin	Local 196	Yes	Because they can afford to, while still receiving large profits off of our work. Because it's their responsibility as our employer to cover this unavoidable cost of doing business.
Aaron	Martin	Local 70	Yes	Because if we work in Seattle we are not there for our pleasure we are there to work therefor who we work for should be responsible for parking just like if I were to work at Safeway I would get free parking!!!
Holger	Mathews	Self employed	Yes	I am already providing the tools, transportation and labor. My Pay had best be on the partner level if I have to provide everything else.
Keon	Mayeux	Local 30	Yes	We are losing money every day every week every month !!
Virgil	McDonald	Carpenter local 30	Yes	The more we build the less parking is available. The cost of parking has become a huge issue and consumes a fairly big chunk of our take home pay.
Trevor	McGuire		Yes	It is a cost of doing business, not a cost of going to work. Mass transit isn't an option for construction workers. We work before bus lines start, night shifts and carry tools and are often very dirty after work. It makes no sense the construction workers should have to pay parking in lots and garages that we build
Shane	McMurray	Local 70	Yes	It's expensive. Being a Foreman running multiple jobs can be worse, because you can't take advantage of early bird specials. I once paid \$70 and got 2 tickets in one day. That's \$160.
Cody	McPike	Carpenters union	Yes	Its ridiculous, to have to pay 300-500+\$ a month just to go to work. It's outrageous!

Gary	Merritt Jr.	IBEW	Yes	Workers already do not earn enough in wages and benefits, and now they're expected to pay for parking to work as well? That cost should be covered by the bosses.
Colin	Moen	IBEW 46	Yes	Construction workers commute long hours to get to work in Seattle because most of them can't afford to own a home or raise a family here. With corporate developers raking in billions of dollars during the Seattle construction boom, there is no excuse for them not to provide parking for their employees.
Adrian	Mora		Yes	Because they don't pay the workers enough and the labor contributes to their profits
Cailona	Moritz	Carpenters union	Yes	
Mike	Myers	Yes	Yes	The parking is way over priced, we can't afford to live in the city so we live further out. The cost alone in fuel to go back and forth to work is outrageous and then add 20 plus dollars a day. Do the math.
Nick	Nelson	Local 41	Yes	Around the greater Seattle area some parking garages are 30 plus dollars a day. Street parking is all but full by 5 am.
Wayne	Ness	Local 30	Yes	They already pay for certain trades for parking. Just because the other unions don't have good leadership or bargainers at the table with the AGC we shouldn't be having to pay out of pocket. If this were to pass it would help out alot of family's fiancé's.
Ryan	Nicodemus	Carpenter union local 30	Yes	This takes money away from our families and income should not half to pay parking everyone else's parking who works in the city is paid parking or validated parking seems fair that a contractor pays his workers parking in full.
Tom	Nolan	Carpenters local 30	Yes	We cannot afford it
Andrew	Olsson	CFMMEU	Yes	cost of living has quadrupled and wages have been stagnant for at least a decade, also contractors have a duty of care to provide a safe (to and from, door to door) secure parking Close to there business, where they employ me, for me to commute away from the job to alight my car, would make my already long trip to the job (1hr 20min) another 20 min duration, when I pay my parking for the week, it strips my weekly wages by what it costs for me to refuel my car every week, and or contribute to retirerment, its back breaking work carpentry, long hard arduous hours, sometimes with out appropriate breaks, so its doubled my expenses and lengthened my unpaid work day
Jeffrey	Olszewski	carpenters local 30	Yes	Developers and owners of downtown properties are charging workers to park while these same workers are building and developing more properties for the owners that profit off of these parking fees. Construction workers end up paying owners to work.

Jeffret	Olszewski		Yes	Workers shouldn't have to pay to earn money to support our families. I have heard nurses have same issue with hospitals.
justin	otis	Nw Carpenters union	Yes	
Vincent	Padilla	Local 30	Yes	Other employers supply parking so should the general contractors.
Marco	Pantoja		Yes	
Colleen	Paull	Piledrivers Local # 2396 (in the past)	Yes	Because contractors are making millions and maybe billions off the backs of construction workers. They can better pay the parking while the workers barely make a liveable wage and paying the parking is a way to alleviate some stress on the workers! Please do the right thing and support the very hard working people who are building Seattle and our future.
Jesse	Phillippe		Yes	
Joel	Pinzon	Local 1	Yes	It's the right thing for a worker. I believe the companies has to include everything on the job estimate.
Ken	Pitts	Local 41	Yes	Parking should be covered at the expense of the person who is having the building built. And Ideally that should be factored into the bid.
Joe	Poplaski	UBC Local 30	Yes	They make billions off of our labor. They can afford to pay for our parking.
Christopher	Power Sr	Local 30	Yes	I already pay to work. At 100 a week for a whole year is 4800\$ in parking paid.
Christopher	Power Sr	Carpenters union Local 30	Yes	100\$ minimum a week 7000 a year in parking. Self explanatory

Jacy	Purkiss	Carpenters	Yes	Construction workers do pay for electricians parking, and plumbers on various jobs around the city
				Why do they not pay for the rest of us workers that make less money than them?
				Which means we take home less money to our families
				150 - 200\$ a week in some of these buildings makes it difficult to pay for child care.
				Please think of the workers who make the bosses 100's of millions every year,
				and our fair city we've come to love,
				As we build the structures that brings more residents from all over the world
				Bless you
				Jacy purkiss
Rachel	Ravitch		Yes	As a construction project manager working for a small GC, our carpenters & field teams NEVER paid for parking while on the clock. Our subcontractors also typically billed for parking. This should be standard across the industry and it is ridiculous to think that crews would be required to pay for these JOB costs. Parking costs are very high in cities and carpenters & field teams need their trucks which carry their job tools which they are also required to maintain on their own. The small GC company I worked at (Mallet Design Build) also had a tool program to help with tool costs. If small GCs can afford to cover these costs, big GCs can afford to cover these costs. After all, it was the customer who paid these costs, not the GC. Big developers and land owners can afford to pay these costs. Our company mostly served small businesses who paid all of these costs.

Nathan	Riley	Carpenter's Union	Yes	If you are not providing something as simple as parking for your workers who are traveling for miles and a portion of them over an hour or two of time, wouldn't most people consider that taking advantage of a vulnerable population? That is a crime against people who happen to be disabled, elderly, and children. Why should any other situation be seen as different? Especially by those who have the profit margins to easily handle things of this sort out of consideration and respect, rather than neglect. When it comes to humanity, we need to request, expect, and redirect focus of everyone to do better.
James	Robinson		Yes	Because that's the right thing to do. I'm tired of "paying" to go to work.
Britt	Rogness		Yes	
Amanda	Rossmeier		Yes	Local86 here I get paid parking and feel my trades brothers should get the same.
Lauren	Sanchez	IUPAT DC 5	Yes	
Peter	Schaible		Yes	If it's expected that a worker must transport tools with a vehicle then it should be expected that the company they are doing the work for pay the costs necessary to support bringing that vehicle to the job site.
Ryan	Schmidt	Carpenters	Yes	
Alex	Schon	Local 129	Yes	Because they are our employer and Normally when you work for a company they supply a free place to park why should it be any different for us
Mark	Secrettie	Local 41	Yes	
Jason	skipper	IUOE Local 302	Yes	The cost of parking downtown is very high and amounts to a significant pay cut. The contractors can pay for this accommodation instead of passing it on to the workers
Estera	Stanus-Ghib	Local 70 Carpenters	Yes	We already can't afford to live close to where we build we can not afford to pay to park in the cities we're building in. Many cannot save money with cost of living and paying for gas and parking to work. We're unable to afford houses. America's middle class is getting suffocated and continuing to become snuffed out. Who will the regular consumer base become when the middle class becomes non-existant.
Josh	Stavee	Local 41	Yes	Parking can a substantial impact to my weekly earnings. Either cap parking or help with the financial burden
Joshua	Steele	Local 41	Yes	Because were there to do a job for them. The least they can do is provide parking four their workers. Every single other job I've had prior to working in the union has provided parking. Besides, isn't street parking considered public anyways? Shouldn't parking be free in general?

Frederick	Stevens	Ibew Local 46	Yes	Because it's an excessive cost passed onto us as an employee. It defeats the purpose of our wage and helps to limit the employeers ability to man the work.
Jordan	Stewart		Yes	
Logan	Swan	Ironworkers Local 86	Yes	My union already has paid parking in our contract, but legislation like this takes it off the negotiating table so we can focus on improved pay and benefits. All unions should support initiatives like this, that benefit all workers, because a rising tide lifts all boats and this will show non-union workers how they too benefit from a strong labor movement.
Eric	Swanson	Union Member	Yes	It's a huge hardship to have to pay these outrageous parking lots to just go to work. It needs to stop.
Trevor	Tapia	Carpenter's Local 30	Yes	I can't show up without tools every day. I'm forced to drive and forced to park for their project. Parking should be paid for.
Avory	Tedtaotao	Carpenters	Yes	We travel 1 hours + to go to a job. Pay for parking. That takes over 300 out of our check every week. It's becoming too much. We make our sacrifice to support our contractors. They should do the same
Austin	Tedtaotao		Yes	We shouldn't have to pay to park to build Seattle. Without us none of the other trades that get free parking would have a job to go to. People drive miles and miles and spend a lot on gas only to pay even more for parking.
James	Thompson	Local 41	Yes	Construction workers build wealth in the city of Seattle. The hardworking men and women who come to build this wealth spend around 10% of there income commuting and paying for parking. This money can be put back in the pockets of the workers. These same hardworking men and women will then spend it in our communities. I support this legislation 100% and hope other Seattle politicians support this as well.
Joe	Torrey	N/A	Yes	Because it is fully part of the work/project and should be treated as such. It is one of the costs of doing business.
Jarry	Tourn	Local 30	Yes	
Felix	Vazquez	41	Yes	Yes please
Claire	Wager		Yes	
Chris	Webster	Carpenter local129	Yes	I should not be taxed to come into work.
Tori	Westman		Yes	
Sterling	White	Carpenter Local 70	Yes	Should not have to pay to work
Craig	Wolters	Carpenter local 70	Yes	Almost all the other trades have their parking paid. Parking is ridiculous at least put a reasonable cap on the rates.
Agnes	Wurz	Local 30	Yes	No one should have to pay \$500 a month just to be able to work.

David	Wymer		Yes	This is a huge expense that construction workers need to pay for the privilege of working in Seattle. The city benefits from the moneys derived from the buildings we build (in perpetuity). Many tradesmen are turning down work in downtown Seattle in favor of other locations solely based on parking fees.
Nick	Xenos	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Ricky	Yazzie		Yes	Because I can't afford it .
Johnathan	Yelenick	IBEW Local 68	Yes	It time to end the price gouging of working class people. Stop the extraction of surplus value!
Justin	Yellowwolf	carpenters lu70	Yes	because they've been passing the buck onto the workers for long enough.
Dezmond	Carley	Local 71	Yes	
Justin	Kasprzal	Local 46	Yes	
Jannie	Brockett	Ironworkers Local 86	Yes	
Jessica	Corona	Ironworkers Local 86	Yes	
Johny	Prater	Ironworkers Local 86	Yes	
Troy	Whitehead	IBEW	Yes	
Dennis	Moatecinor	Local 816	Yes	
Michael	Joseph McDonough		Yes	
Michael	Asmeirn	Local 302	Yes	
Aaron	Berger	Ironworkers Local 86	Yes	
Michael	Perry		Yes	
Monique	Bourdager		Yes	
Michael	Dulik III	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Taylor	Werner	IBEW Local 47	Yes	
Kevin	Laity	IBEW Local 48	Yes	
Violet	Wilson	Ironworkers Local 86	Yes	
Alejandro	Alvarando	Ironworkers Local 87	Yes	
Star	Robinson	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Ethan	Walker	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Raul	Chavez	Local 316	Yes	
Anna	Gerlach		Yes	
Nick	Howard	Local 1	Yes	
Paul	Ewen		Yes	
Mathew	Gerlach		Yes	
Amee	Andrews	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Macen	McLean	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Justin	Stewart	Carpenters Local 30	Yes	

	360-280-4453	Sheetmetal Workers Local 66	Yes	
M	S	Local 188	Yes	
Allen	Sowers	Local 188	Yes	
Kyle	Murray	Carpenters Local 30	Yes	
Brandon	Moore	Local 70	Yes	
Adisen	Knottnens	Local 699	Yes	
Nicolette			Yes	
Erin	Cartain	Local 86	Yes	
Robert	Gadss	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Derek	Elston	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Scott	Dowsiggir	Local 32	Yes	
Darius	Martinez	Local 66	Yes	
Jesus	Zngatn	Local 66	Yes	
Dillon	Snyder	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Michael	Lebeis	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Jame	Collins	Local 191	Yes	
Sean	Cavanagh	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Thom	Gribel	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Christopher	Konkor	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Shaun	Ward	Operating Engineers Local 302	Yes	
Brandon	Burke	Local 699	Yes	
Jon	Broom	Local 41	Yes	
Apolinor	Lopez	Local 300	Yes	
Ruben	S.	Local 300	Yes	
Diego	Chavez	Local 300	Yes	
Rick	Park	Local 41	Yes	
Kirk	James	Local 32	Yes	
Alen	Α	Local 300	Yes	
Kelly	Bolduc	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Micah	Simmons	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Mike	Andrade	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Erik	Wick	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Chris	Pinard	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Francisco	Ragland	Local 32	Yes	
Marlene	Gritula	Local 41	Yes	
Andrew	Hall	Local 41	Yes	
Christian	Jensen	Local 41	Yes	

Paige	Anderson	Local 66	Yes	
Erik	Crabtre	Local 66	Yes	
Allysa	Mcbry	Local 66	Yes	
Derek	Diussne	Local 66	Yes	
T	S	Local 66	Yes	
Jerry	Peyton	Local 66	Yes	
Jayden	Talbott	Local 30	Yes	
Daniel	L. Olson	Local 46	Yes	
Paul	Gickel	Local 46	Yes	
Eric	Wiedemann	Local 46	Yes	
Alejandro	Mena	Local 46	Yes	
Jose	Quiroga	Local 41	Yes	
Zack	mcKinley	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Shawn	Erickson	Local 70	Yes	
Normen	Beib	Local 66	Yes	
Brill	Collins	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Shayne	Norton	Local 86	Yes	
Jose	Luis	Local 41	Yes	
Erin	Reilly	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Jeff	Baldwin	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Micheal	Murray	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Mario	Mendoza	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Paula	MaKarewic	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
Grayson	L.		Yes	
Noah	Whitney	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
David	Erukunalipo	Local 86	Yes	
Ben	Nnabu	Local 528	Yes	
Sakar		Local 242	Yes	
Gustavo	Montoya	Local 41	Yes	
Seth	Rose	IBEW Local 46	Yes	
David	Kuehn	Local 32	Yes	
Oscar	Soliz		Yes	
Mike	Coton	Local 46	Yes	
Russ	Reagan	Local 66	Yes	
Alvin	Muragori		Yes	
Rete	Donahue	IBEW 46	Yes	
Zaheer	Webb	132	Yes	
Jarrett	Hager	IBEW 46	Yes	
Rebecca	Fischer	Local 159	Yes	

Matt	Dunlap	Tech 17	Yes	
Lewis	Fowler	IBEW 46	Yes	
Jordan	Mann	IBEW 46	Yes	
Claudio	Dos Santos	LIUNA 242	Yes	
Darren	Anzai	LIUNA 242	Yes	
K Stefan	Sigueland	IBEW 46	Yes	
David	Smith	IBEW 46	Yes	
Tayler	A.	IBEW 46	Yes	
Joseph	Herbert	IBEW 46	Yes	
Marshall	Styles	242	Yes	
Jay	Davies	302	Yes	
Ben	Webb	Carpenters	Yes	
Ryan	Smith	Carpenters	Yes	
Chris	Hickey		Yes	
Mike	Steele		Yes	
Antonio	K.	242	Yes	
Donathan	Brown	242	Yes	
Eliseo	B.	300	Yes	
Joseph	Frane	242	Yes	
Alexei	Seherbacov	6	Yes	
lan	A. Paul		Yes	
Hayden	Weathers		Yes	
Brian	Meisier	30	Yes	
Simon	Jay		Yes	
Spencer	Bakke		Yes	
Julian	Perez	242	Yes	
Oscar	Loera	242	Yes	
Martin	Odenberg	46	Yes	
Logan	Marks		Yes	
Manley		528	Yes	
Edgar		221	Yes	
Jed	Bassett	300	Yes	
Sean	Dimock	Local 427	Yes	
Raymond	Pollicino	427	Yes	
Charles	Roberts	1964	Yes	
Jonathan	Johnson	Local 30	Yes	
Justin	Ennis	Local 54	Yes	
CJ	White	Local 54	Yes	
Ron	Shaw	300	Yes	

Noah T	Γwining	1503	Yes	
Joel N	И.	Painters 300	Yes	
Charlie N	Vewitt	Carpenters 129	Yes	
Shane G	Gonzales	Laborers 242	Yes	
Kesi N	Moser	Laboreres 242	Yes	
Anthony S	Scott	117	Yes	
Steve E	Bickford	Carpenters 30	Yes	
Daisy C	Colsell		Yes	
Carseen D	Damon		Yes	
Jeff J	Jones	302	Yes	
Eric C	Cruz		Yes	
Manuel L	_oera-Aguilera	Laborers 242	Yes	
Marques N	Martinez		Yes	
Matt J	Johnson		Yes	
Tom Z	Zaragoza	IBEW 46	Yes	
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Stephen F	Ryan	Laborers 242	Yes	
	Atur		Yes	
	McGuir		Yes	
Megan C	Clousing	Local 300	Yes	
	O'Grady		Yes	
Tessa F	Нор	IBEW 46	Yes	
	- Him	Local 300	Yes	
Raul G	G.	Local 300	Yes	
Jason N	Mietzner	Local 66	Yes	
George C	Collett	IBEW 46	Yes	
	Fleetwood		Yes	
Shelby C	Clifton		Yes	
Emma F	=.		Yes	
Stehpen E	Ξ.		Yes	
·	_anglois	Laborers 242	Yes	
	Hickey	Local 120	Yes	
	Oliver	Local 32	Yes	
	Grandstaff		Yes	
	Handran		Yes	
David S	Sene	Local 528	Yes	
	Smith	Local 528	Yes	
John F	Hernandez	No	Yes	
Anthony A	Arnold		Yes	

C.	McGlynn		Yes	
Walt	Christian		Yes	
Ralph	Young		Yes	
Mariani	Frye		Yes	
Irvin	Avalos	Yes	Yes	
Ken	Tivis	Local 188	Yes	
Rick	Defisher	No	Yes	
Mike	Eakman	Local 188	Yes	
Tristan	Stayner		Yes	
Cheyenne	Frye		Yes	
Maurice	King		Yes	
Brandi	Ilue	UA 32	Yes	
Ryan	Р	IW Local 88	Yes	
Jose	D Cornal	Local 242	Yes	
Jerry	Celly	Bricklayers	Yes	
Francesco	Anichini		Yes	
Glenn	Lye	No	Yes	
Jorge	Pmih	Local 32	Yes	
Jason	Thorp	Local 32	Yes	
Matthew	B.	Laborers	Yes	
Brian			Yes	
Shane	Ducatt		Yes	
Miguel	Albana	Local 34	Yes	
Juan	Carlos	Local 7	Yes	
Lilia	Martinez		Yes	
Alan	Valdez		Yes	
Ligia	Valdez		Yes	
Michelle			Yes	
Sergio	Muniz	Painters 300	Yes	
Thomas	Lee	UA 32	Yes	
Solomon	Hay	Carpenters 407	Yes	
Justin	Carver	Local 302	Yes	
Steven	Matheine	Local 302	Yes	
			Yes	
Steven	Hagen	Carpenters 41	Yes	
Carlos	Garcia	Carpenters 41	Yes	
Wanner	Sarceno	Carpenters 41	Yes	
German	Davila	Carpenters 41	Yes	
Victor	Romero	Taper 364	Yes	

Joshua	Llanto	242	Yes	
Michael	Reyes	LU 30	Yes	
Charles	Pratt	129	Yes	
JR	Herrington	Carpenters 30	Yes	
Steven	Elliot	Local 30	Yes	
Greg	Miller	Local 30	Yes	
Joseph	Sosa	Carpenters 30	Yes	
Eduardo	Ponce	Carpenters 30	Yes	
David	Higginbotham	Carpenters 30	Yes	
Jared	Ramdazes	Carpenters 30	Yes	
Beth	Wallace	32	Yes	
Larry	Bryan	32	Yes	
Alberto	Peña	242	Yes	
Greg	Spencer	Carpenters 30	Yes	
Jose	Perez	528	Yes	
Joel	Kessler	612	Yes	
Tim	Clark	528	Yes	
Gary	Higuchi	86	Yes	
Alex	Osborne	86	Yes	
Jason	Toothman	86	Yes	
Will	Stafford	Carpenters 30	Yes	
Leon	Norton	Carpenters 30	Yes	
Jason	Bartos	Carpenters 30	Yes	
Erick	Lopez	Carpenters 30	Yes	
Teibian	Veneges	Carpenters 30	Yes	
Leobard	Venegal	Carpenters 30	Yes	
Wilson	Aaron		No	
Mohammed	Abouzied	Teamsters 117	No	This is just another shameful example of companies taking advantage of 1099 workers and forcing the expenses onto them, while also bragging about their gross pay.

Martin	Ackermann	Int'l Organization of Masters Mates & Pilots (IOMM&P)	No	'Externalizing' costs of doing business onto workers is a form of avoiding fair compensation to workers. These parking costs are well known to the big bosses, they just don't want to fairly compensate workers. The impact on the streets of Seattle creates a situation of strife between construction workers and residents competing for scarce street parking slots. Again, this is well-known to big construction bosses, and they are happy to create strife which they pretend to not be a part of. The large construction bosses need to be responsible for organizing construction parking that coordinates well with the residents' ability to find parking, and the big construction bosses need to pay for that parking. We, as residents, do not need to be impacted by a strife-filled situation that is encouraged by big construction bosses and their refusal to take responsibility and pay for their impact on the community.
April	Adams		No	Parking should be part of the job just like the equipment being used.
Damon	Agnos		No	dood
Sanjin	Alajbegovic		No	
Antonio	Albright		No	
Daniel	Alegria		No	Where is the free public parking in Seattle? Recently in Uptown, the last free public parking in our neighborhood is being converted to pay parking. Given America's obsession and push of cars, the added cost just to get to work means you spend part of each day not earning your wages because part of it goes to just parking for the day when so many don't have a choice.
Joshua	Allen		No	This is simply a cost of doing business.
Stephen	Alliston		No	
Rosie	Alyea		No	Covering costs, such as parking, for any new development should be included as a basic means for contractors. This is not a benefit, this is a cost of business.
Nina	Anderson	SEIU 925	No	Because at one time I was a construction worker for 12 years and we as employees had to pay for parking and I never thought it was fair. We were already being paid as a African American female less than what our counterparts were being paid
Matthew	Anderson		No	
Cheyne	Anderson		No	Because it is a business expense. The workers wouldn't need to pay parking costs if they weren't doing the work. Making them pay out of pocket for it is wage theft.
Ellen	Anderson	SA	No	Free parking for all!
Erin	Angelini	UAW 4121	No	•

JL	Angell		No	It is not the shop, AKA normal location of business, and the workers have no control over the locations they get sent to each day; driving to the job site instead of the company providing transportation, and related parking should be the company's responsibility just like for the travel of employees in every other kind of business.
Evan	Apolis		No	Corporations should pay for their worker's transit costs. Anything else would be essentially a reduction in the worker's pay.
josephine	archambault		No	I WAS A UNION IRONWORKER, I AM RETIRED BUT REMEMBER!
Behnoosh	Armani		No	
Ari	Ashkenazi		No	This is a cost of doing business that needs to be covered by the company and not foisted onto workers just trying to do their jobs.
Alma	Aslani		No	My husband is a carpenter and this affects our livelihood
Sigrid	Asmus		No	This is not the 1950s, either in era, nor in the skills required for current construction.
				Moreover, the density of Seattle's development has been so intensive that there are literally almost no places to park with low or no fees, or even with fees that might be comparable to what renting an apartment in the 1970s cost. To ask skilled workers to pay parking fees out of their wages is a disguised plan promoted and designed to pass on the real costs of construction to the workers, not those owning and profiting from the newly developed properties. It's nothing more than a cover-up plan for a contractor wage-cut designed to increase developer profits.
Marifran	Assaf		No	
Maia Krahl	Astley	N/A	No	
Shary	В		No	
Allison	Bachner		No	
Elijah	Baehr-gutierrez		No	
Michael	Bailey		No	
Joshua	Baker	Cascade Public Media	No	
Megan	Baker		No	
Elizabeth	Baldo	Seiu	No	When the job you hire people to do is in an area with such incredibly high parking rates then that should be an automatic addition to your building budget. What is the point of paying people if a hefty portion of it goes into people just being able to arrive to the worksite

Brian	Bales		No	I used to do construction and understand this completely and agree with it! That is a huge loss for an employee per month! Not to mention they may have had to pay toll on top of this both ways.
James	Bangerter		No	Forcing them to pay for parking might get them to construct more underground parking in the future or find better solutions to on street parking.
Kathryn	Barber		No	It's a cost of doing business for those running the business. Don't take it out on the construction workers.
Carmen Milagros	Barbosa Robles	Staff y algunos residents del Shelter Angeline	No	Because the construction workers are suffering too much and working too hard and have not enough resources to overcome the Poverty and the Bosses must honor their workers and help them at maximum.
Justin	Bare	SA	No	
Zoe	Barker-Aderem		No	
Noel	Barnes		No	Construction workers, like most of the rest of us in the "upper echelon" of what's left of the middle class, already pay very high income taxes on the money they make compared to the higher level executives of the construction companies they work for; they probably get huge tax breaks. Why should these workers who actually WORK for their money be asked to foot another bill which would reduce their take home pay to 50% or 60% of their gross pay??? What a ripoff!!!!!!!
Bob	Barnes		No	
Danielle	Baroudi		No	Seattle parking was already a nightmare prior to COVID and now with so much outdoor dining expansions into parking its made it even harder to find affordable parking in Seattle. It should not be the burden of the hourly employee to take on this cost.
Britton	Bateman		No	
Gina	Bates	Indivisible Wooster	No	
Nathaniel	Baum		No	
Anjana	Baumann		No	It just makes sense. The bosses are basically paying the workers 100 dollars less, per week, than they are claiming, by forcing their employees to spend money to do their job. Employees shouldn't have to pay money to work.
Joel	Beachey		No	
Stephanie	Beard		No	Because it is the right thing to do
John	Beardsley		No	It is a job site. Most carpenters bring their tools in a truck or car and have no access to parking long term without expensive costs. Nor can they haul their trade on public buses. There should be a parking allowance for all those bringing their tools to work from home.

LAURA	BEEMAN		No	Workers are paid far too little to be expected to be able to cover their own parking costs. Parking should be paid by their boss, or workers should be provided a raise so that they can afford to pay their own parking.
Kelley	Beld		No	I think contractor bosses should pay 100% of all construction workers' parking costs because they are in a position to recoup those costs and the workers are not.
Angela	Bellacosa		No	Parking costs to work at a construction site are work-related costs, and not optional; so the construction corporation should rightly pay them. It would be the same if there were a fee to get in the gate to work at a corporation. The corporation should waive the fee for workers to get in the gate to the corporation.
Angela	Bellacosa		No	If it is a work-related expense, it should be covered by the employer. Pretty simple.
Marva	Benjamin		No	
John	Benner		No	
Dakota	Bennett	Socialist Alternative	No	
Tara	Bennett		No	
Alex	Berger		No	
Adrian	Bergeron		No	Parking costs are a part of the overall project cost, and really should have been factored in, not just left to the workers to take care of out of pocket. For example, the workers' protective clothing and tools can be used on other unrelated jobs, so those are the workers' own responsibility, but the parking, exactly like any electricity used for a given project, would also be a project cost, although I'd hate to give the contractor bosses the idea of charging their workers for using electricity on a project.
Heather	Bergey		No	Since parking is a necessary part of the job, supporting the payments for workers only makes sense.
Rose	Betz-Zall	former AGMA member	No	
Niko	Bhagwandin		No	
Julia	Binger		No	You shouldn't have to pay hundreds of dollars to go to your job. In office jobs employers pay for the office building, not the employees. Parking for construction work IS "the office". Pay for it!
Liz	Bishop		No	
kelly	bjork		No	
Nicole	Black		No	Because they are in a position of power and make much more money. It's the ethical decision to make.

Nicole	Black		No	I believe it's an equitable way to support construction workers who make less money than their contractor bosses. I believe this legislation could support working folks in Seattle.
Jordan	Blackmon		No	
Paul	Blaski	UURWAW	No	It's a wage cut to work in Seattle and have to pay for parking out of your own pocket.
Joanne	Blodgett		No	
Aaron	Blu		No	
Robert	Blumenthal		No	
Jenny	Boettiger		No	
Matthew	Boguske	610-28-0090	No	
Ame	Bowman		No	
Ame	Bowman		No	
emily	boyer		No	
Mark	Bradley	SEIU	No	
Mark	Bradley	SEIU	No	
Charlie Blue	Brahm		No	If they need to transport themselves + machinery for their work, then parking should be a work expense.
Julia	Brasch		No	Because contractor bosses make so much more money than construction workers! They profit off the construction workers labor, so why should the workers have to pay for parking themselves?
Molly	Brashear		No	Parking is a cost of doing business for construction companies and the expense should not be shouldered by the workers.
Jax	Braun	University of Washington	No	
Lynda	Breynaert		No	Construction workers' parking needs to be included as part of the cost of the construction project.
Sarah	Bright	SEIU 925	No	Because they have the money and the control - why should workers have to pay?
Erin	Brightwell	UPTE 7 - CWA 9119	No	Construction workers have to bring tools to jobsites, their parking costs should be covered by the boss.
Amiya	Brown	ABP Art and Design	No	
Robert	Brown	Washington Education Association-Retired	No	It is ridiculous for workers to pay for parking at any workplace. That is the employers' job.
Joy	Bucher		No	The cost of doing business is ALWAYS paid for by business!
Sara	Buck		No	
Brenna	Buckwalter		No	
Eric	Buhle		No	

Sherry	Bupp		No	Construction workers must shift from one jobsite to another, all over town - and pay their own parking fees at each different place. This drastically reduces their hourly wages. The Contractors should pay parking fees for their workers, or provide them shuttles from a free-parking facility to the jobsite.
Sheldon	Burkhalter		No	
Madeleine	Burkhart		No	
Nshan	Burns		No	
John	Burns		No	
Patrick	Burns	Carpenters	No	Union Carpenter wages look like a lot of money, but those wages are whittled away by high costs for tools, expensive clothing, commuting costs. Some jobs provide free parking, but when they don't this cost can amount to one full hour of take home pay. Thank you for addressing this issue since the contracting employers have ignored this burden for their carpenters for years.
Julie	Butler		No	
Sean	Butterfield	SEIU 775	No	Carpenters can't bring 100 lbs of tools and equipment on the bus. They usually need to drive, and since it's required for work, the bosses should pay!
Brandon	Bye		No	
William	Byron	UAW 4121	No	
Stephanie	Cambier		No	
Ziadee	Cambier		No	
Fred	Campbell		No	
AnaMaria	Campoy		No	
Lisa	Canar		No	
Martha	Cantwell		No	
Aaron	Carasco		No	It's a requirement to do the job - no brainer
Alexandra	Carl		No	There is no reason for workers to pay for parking to do their job at the location they are being asked to work in. When busses and trains often get delayed or cancelled (I have to deal with this myself commuting via transit to work), driving is the only reasonable way to be sure to get to work on time.
Raymond	CARRILLO	Teamsters 117	No	You should not be penalized for being a part of our community and building up our cities by losing money everyday on expensive parking. Workers should have paid parking.
Aidan	Carroll	SEIU 1199NW	No	This is part of the price of commuting that results from the system where the workers rather than contractors transport the tools. Therefore it's a job-related cost that should be reimbursed

Leo	Carson	Oakland Education Association	No	
Katie	Carter		No	Parking is a necessary cost for construction workers to get to their job with all their necessary equipment. It's ridiculous that this is not reimbursed or otherwise accounted for in their pay.
Sean	Case		No	
Wendy	Case		No	
Helen	Casendino		No	Trade and construction workers are invaluable members of our communities and deserve to be compensated fully for their time, without losing significant portions of that income easily covered by contractors.
R	CATANA		No	
Robin	Caudle	Seattle Educator's Association	No	Parking is part of the job, and therefore should not be paid by the employee.
Friday	Celia-Zoellner		No	
Adrian	Cerrato		No	
Adrian	Cerrato		No	
Salle	Certo		No	
ed	Chalfant	Teamster, retired	No	In this case employers are shifting the cost of their business on to their employees which diminishes their income despite having a union or other workplace contract.
Норе	Chamberlain		No	
Rachel	Chapman	Faculty Forward	No	People should be paid to work, not paying to work!
Tara	Chase		No	
Kamau	Chege		No	Our city is ridiculously expensive to live in this city specifically because of companies that have made the rest of us pay for their inequitable growth. Working people shouldn't have to pay for parking that their employers force them to pay, including by virtue of the employers having fought equitable transit for years.
Sarah	Chen	Zendesk	No	
George	Chernetz	Concerned Democrat	No	
Jerry K	Chilson	7.9098E+11	No	To transfer the cost to those people who are making the profit, they are better suited to pay.
William	Chiodo		No	
Maureen	Chomko	SEIU 1199NW	No	
Snow	Christensen		No	Construction workers should not have to pay out of pocket to cover parking expenses required for the job.
Amber	Christiansen	UFCW21 member / not sure	No	This is definitely an unfair tax on these workers for doing incredibly valuable work. This is an obstacle for workers to help construct our city.

Maxine	Clark		No	
Kevin	Clarke		No	Parking/parking tickets are a scam to steal more money from working people. Bosses should of course have to pay this if they expect their workers to come to work.
John	Clemens		No	
Brandee	Cline		No	Construction workers should not have to pay to park when they are working a job for their boss. Why does this even have to be debated?
Darian	Clogston		No	
Jarrett	Cloud		No	
Alicia	Cohn		No	
Eliza	Cohn		No	
Matthew	Colasurdo		No	Paying for their parking is another form of benefits many employers give to their employees
Tristan	Combes		No	
Clayton	Compton	N/A	No	
Clayton	Compton	N/A	No	This is commonsense stuff that should have been required years ago.
Vincent	Coniglio		No	They could include those costs when they bid the job.
Andy	Corbeill		No	They make enough profit to be able to pay for parking
Whealon	Costello	chocolati café baristas	No	Housing is a human built human right. This would bless the workers and allow them to do perilous work without car anxiety.
Joelle	Craft		No	
Madeline	Crawford		No	
victor	crews		No	
Claire	Crist		No	
Devin	Cross		No	Having to pay in order to work for pay is wholly counterintuitive and counterproductive for workers. It is theft, and it is wrong.
Adriel	Crowell		No	
Keira	Cruickshank		No	Construction workers shouldn't have to pay to be able to work! They are providing their time and labor, bosses should provide what is necessary for construction workers to be able to do their jobs.
Dina	Dahbany- Miraglia	TRS	No	did construction w/my dad 1950s. girls not allowed so i dressed up as a boy. love it. & the workers who do these jobs deserve the best.
Bridget	Daly		No	
John	Dancey	Carpenter's Local 756 (retired)	No	
Red	Daniels	Socialist alternative	No	
Lou	Daprile		No	

David	Dart		No	Because it's the right thing to do.
Amanda	Davis		No	
Kathryn	Dawson		No	
Annelie	Day	SEIU 1199NW	No	Your employees are driving to job sites, many of whom commute an hour or more. To ask them to then pay for parking is simply unethical.
Svea	Deacon		No	
Nicole	DeFuria		No	
Vito	Delisi	- Select -	No	
Keridwyn	Deller		No	The bosses can afford it and are making so much money from the efforts of their workers.
Keyara	Demers		No	No employee should have to pay the high parking fees in the city while they are REQUIRED to be there for work. There should be a budget for transportation/parking costs that don't come from the workers' checks. That is a business expense, not a personal one.
Alexandra	Deng		No	
Brett	Dennison	No	No	
Marita	Diaz		No	
Michael	Dicus		No	
Dale	Dieterle		No	
Dan	DiLeva	Socialist Alternative	No	All workers are essential. All bosses are unnecessary. Workers of the world, unite! You have nothing to lose but your chains!
Adrienne	DiLiberto	No	No	It's a necessary part of the job and should not be workers' responsibility
Jillian	Dinnie		No	
Cooper	Dionne	N/A	No	
Nicole	Donahoo		No	
Alice	Doyel	N/A	No	It's a work requirement for everyone who drives to the construction site.
Bianca	Doyle		No	Construction worker pay is not enough to pay for parking or any other additional fees or insurances
Apostle Jesse	Duckworth		No	Because it's their contracts being fulfilled. Or include parking fees in their contracts to work on any site

Lydia	Duncan		No	Companies should provide what necessary to do a job. If bringing a car is necessary for the job, companies should provide the car, pay for gas, and pay for parking. It's common practice for employers at set work sites to negotiate parking so workers can park there regularly. Why would people that work all over the city, making our city more modern and livable for all, deserve less? Burdens like this making it more difficult for hard working people to climb out of poverty, limiting the number of people that can work at a specific job.
Nicole	DuRoche	WFSE 843	No	
Jenn	Eaglespeaker		No	
Liam	Easton-Calabria		No	Parking should not be an added expense for the carpenters who build this city when their bosses reap the vast majority of the profits of their labor.
Don	Eaton	Seattle Schools SEA	No	
Jude	Edwards		No	Nobody should have to pay a fee to do their job duties, especially if they are doing them for a wage. It should be considered wage theft.
Stephen	Edwards	AFSCME Local 2858 (Charter President, Retired)	No	The contractors are making millions building luxury towers downtown. For a construction worker, downtown parking costs are a major expense which they should not have to pay.
Robert	Edwards	Robert Edwards	No	
Nancy	Eichner		No	It's fair. It's important. It's the right thing to do. Parking is too expensive for most working people, and that includes construction workers.
Leah	Eister		No	
Chelsea	Elkins		No	Construction workers often receive low pay for their hard, necessary, and often dangerous work they do day in and day out. They deserve to not have to worry about paying hundreds of dollars in parking each month and use that money to support their lives and their families. Thank you.
Dave	Ellenwood	AFT 1789	No	
Nance	Epstein	Seattle Children's Hospital	No	These expenses place an unfair financial burden on construction workers.
Hali	Erickson		No	Work related costs should not be put on the employee
Megan	Erickson		No	
Sarah	Erickson		No	We live in the Central District and see how heavily ticketed non- residents are It's not fair for workers to shoulder the cost of parking in such areas!
Nina	Estep		No	It's a cost of the business: on site employees shouldn't have to pay to come to work
Laurine	Fabrick	None	No	

Jonah	Falk		No	
Francesca	Favorini-Csorba		No	Workers should not have to pay to go to work.
Alexa	Fay		No	
Alexa	Fay		No	
Rachel	Fecher		No	
Andrew	Fenstermacher		No	I 100% disagree with your proposed legislation. Feel free to contact me to discuss why this is bad policy.
Sarah	Fentin		No	
Jeff	Fernandes		No	All costs related to work are the responsibility of the boss or employer.
Nathan	Feuerborn		No	Support workers to not have to cover the costs of working in Seattle.
Carmen	Ficarra		No	It's the cost of doing business. They make the majority fo the money on these jobs, they should pay parking for the workers who allow them to make that money.
Nic	Figley		No	Seattle parking only gets more expensive and it's competitive to find. Looking for something cheap to afford costs time when getting to work. It takes stress out of the beginning of the work day and doesn't cut into wages. Since it's part of the requirements of the job it should be covered of the employer.
Andrew	Finch-Craver		No	
Christie	Fite		No	
Christie	Fite		No	It is the ethical thing to do!!
Aaron	Flaster	Community Collaboratory	No	
James	Flynn		No	Basic costs that are incurred in order for all workers to work should be covered by employers. Please support this legislation.
Anne	Fogarty		No	
Betsy	Foley		No	
Patricia	Fong		No	
Julie	Foster		No	It's could be a necessary expenditure for them to do their job
Jayn	Foy		No	Because our world should be "People over Profit"
Jayn	Foy		No	It's time to put people over profit
Lindsey	Franklin		No	
Rachel	Franz	uaw4121	No	
Joyce	Frohn		No	You shouldn't have to pay to go to work.
Lea	Fronterhouse	Cats Pajamas Seattle	No	Because it is the right thing to do. Why should any employee have to pay for their parking to work? All employers should step up and pay for their employees parking.
Sea	Gabriel		No	Uh, because it is a job expense? How is this hard?

Vanessa	Gaffney		No	
Kevin	Gallagher		No	
Kevin	Gallagher		No	
Julian	Gantt		No	
Adrian	Garcia		No	
Adrian	Garcia		No	
Martha	Garcia		No	Because even though their pay is good, it's NOT fair that they work Mon-Fri and have to set apart a separate budget for parking when the employer REQUIRES this and is aware BEFOREHAND, therefore they should not only include it in but RECOGNIZE that it's a huge financial STRESSOR.
Lauren	Gardner	UAW 4121	No	Construction workers literally build our city. The least contractors can do with the billion dollar profits they make of their backs is cover the parking for the vehicles they are required to drive to the workplace. No one should have to pay to work.
Zoe	Garrett		No	
Cassandra	Gault		No	My brother is a construction worker and has paid so much in parking its not fair. He works hard for his money and shouldn't have to use it for parking. He should be able to use it on bills.
Vanessa	Gaumer		No	Because they have the money to do so and should care about employees and show it by taking real action. Construction workers are the backbone making others rich. No lower paid employees should have to pay for parking. They are at work and parking shouldn't come out of their hard-earned pay.
Jackie	Gause		No	
Eric	Gehner		No	
Marit	Gelb		No	
reuben	gelblum		No	
Rachel	Gibson		No	Because DUH!! OF couse they should! I can't believe that they don't already
Mark	Giese		No	
Nicole	Gilbert		No	Seems only fair, need to more evenly distribute costs with companies profit, especially with blue collar workers
Alexandra	Gobeille	DSA	No	They are making millions & billions off the backs of their workers this is the LEAST they can do
Demian	Godon	n/a	No	
dell	goldsmith		No	simple: they can afford it
Sara	Gonzalez		No	
Hilary	Goodfriend		No	
Selena	Goodwin		No	

Alicia	Goranson		No	
David	Gordon		No	they have more money than the construction workers
Max	Gottlieb		No	
Theresa	Gozzo	UAW 4121	No	
Cheryl	Graham		No	It's ridiculous not too. These people build your buildings And your cheap ass can't pay for their parking?
Daniel	Graham		No	
Kyle	Graham	Socialist Alternative	No	I live downtown and know the how difficult it is to find parking and how expensive it can be. Construction workers should not have to pay these outrageous prices just so they can be at a job site, that should be the responsibility of the contractors!
Fred	Granlund		No	Employees should be paid, not hit up for fees just to work. Parking fees are always unjustified.
Madeline	Greeley		No	
Andrew	Greenleaf		No	
Lee	Gresko		No	Assures workers will be on time, at work, keep them happy!
Aster	Grisaffi		No	Contractor bosses aren't paying construction workers to park, they're paying them to work. The cost of working doesn't cover their parking costs.
Julie	Groff		No	
Patrick	Gundran		No	Because the workers shouldn't be required to pay since they need to park for jobs.
Xtian	Gunther		No	They are in a better position to pay and they are the ones who create budgets for their projects. They can include parking for those who absolutely need to bring trucks to site. Frankly, however, if you're not bringing tools into the city, you can do what construction workers in New York City and other huge cities do: take the train or the bus or the ferry. Or car pool.
Elena	Haas	Seiu	No	People are uniting to take a stand against the wealth taken from them to line the pockets of the rich. They are waking up. Paying the expenses incurred to work for a high-profit entity, is a bare minimum of decency, integrity, and being on the right side of change.
Leah	Hagan		No	Parking is an expense covered by many white-collar jobs—why shouldn't it be covered for construction workers who actually need to drive their vehicles to their worksite?
Jake	Hagan		No	
Neil	Hager		No	
Dr Joanne	Halverson		No	Parking is expensive and workers should get paid for work parking as it benefits their employers

Elijah	Hammond		No	Workers of the world unite
Nichole	Hart	N/A	No	Carpentry is a grueling job. Parking fees shouldn't cut into the well-earned money that carpenters take home.
khan	hasan	csia	No	
Tim	Hatch	Amtrak	No	Fair Labor Practice
Tiffany	Haty		No	
Tiffany	Haty		No	
Winona	Hauge	Retired	No	They are reaping the greatest benefits why not?
Andrea	Haverkamp	PNWSU	No	
Olivia	Heath		No	
Nicholas	Hefling	DSA	No	It should never cost any employee anything to go to work. This is very clearly wage theft, it's unacceptable to impose a fee on workers who already don't get paid enough just to go to work.
Paige	Heggie		No	I design plans for construction projects. I do not work on site. I create and facilitate construction projects. Mostly home improvement projects.
Julie	Helwege		No	
Shirley	Henderson	Squirrel Chops	No	
Zella	Henderson		No	It should always be incumbent on the employer to make sure the employee is provided all the things necessary to do their job. In this case, that includes parking, as there is no other reasonable way for construction workers to get to their job sites. Not doing so is tantamount to an extreme, hidden pay cut, and is unfair to workers.
Matthew	Herrin	Roosevelt Ridge	No	
Katrina	Herzog		No	
Troy	Hewitt	N/A	No	Parking is an exceedingly expensive consideration on its own. Construction workers are often expected to wear bulky, specialized gear that isn't suitable for public transit. Coupled with a wildly varying schedule that could charitably be described as on-call, the reality is that commuting to work in their own vehicle isn't a matter of personal comfort, but of trade necessity. Their personal vehicle as vital as any other tool used on the job. e able to respond to carry specialized the nature of construction projects in the city compounds the expense, as well as the need to find secure, safe parking. Cover the expense!
Lacey	Hicks		No	
Allan	Hill	DragonsEye Productions	No	Simply speaking People need to work
Clarita	Hinojosa		No	
Tanna	Hitchcock		No	
Matthew	Hitchman		No	

Jacob	Hite		No	
Annie	Hobbs		No	
Ryan	Hodge		No	
Thomas	Hodges	atu 587	No	because the constructions workers are paying too much of their income for parking in Seattle and the contractors can afford it they depend on the workers to build the buildings but the workers hard earned wages are being reduced by the high cost of parking every day they need to park near the job because they have tools, and many drive long distances and start early in the morning so they need to drive
Auryanna	Holmes		No	
Hallie	Hominda	Renton Education Association	No	Affordable parking is almost impossible to find in Seattle. Exorbitant parking rates should not fall on working people who have no other choice.
Jordan	Honour		No	Otherwise it's stealing. Parking in this city costs a ridiculous amount already and if you have no choice, you have to be somewhere because it's literally your job, paying that cost out of your own earnings is theft.
Ruth	Hooper		No	
Abigail	Houghton		No	
LaVonna	Houston		No	They're the ones telling them to work there. You shouldn't have to pay to park at your workplace, that's ridiculous.
Jared	Howe		No	
John	Huddlestun		No	
Chasity	Hungerford		No	
Lizzie	Hurd		No	Wages are low enough as it is and parking is extremely costly. Do the right thing bc you wouldn't have anything if it weren't for the workers.
Riyas	Hussain		No	They are working for the boss- so the boss has to take care of the very common and basic problem
Kelsey	Husted		No	
John	Huston		No	I feel that it is unfair for big corporations to be passing the buck to the little guy. Who work for them and make them their money but can't spend a little bit for their own employees.
Cyril	Hylton	n/a	No	I was a construction worker. In the past the companies paid for parking allways
Anika	Indurkar	None	No	Contractor bosses should pay 100% of all construction workers' parking costs because it is extremely expensive and they have to pay it from their own pocket when it is a part of their job. It seems unfair to ask them to pay to do their own job.

Jason	Ioannou	Socialist Alternative	No	This is an investment workers have to pay in order to perform labor. They do not benefit from this, but their employers do. Therefore the employers should pay.
Dana	Iorio	PNHP-Western Washington	No	The cost of doing business
Helen	Ippolito		No	
Elizabeth	Ishmael		No	If the parking expense is for the job, the cost should be covered. Paying out of pocket to perform your job is just another way of exploiting workers.
Enjoli	Izidor	Enjoli Izidor Design	No	
Milo	Jackson		No	
Carroll	Jackson	I'm a retired Teaher. (NEA) Probably, ask them	No	They need the workers & their tools, so the Contractor can make big \$. A business expense and deductible I think.
Danielle	Jackson	CHAMPS Resource & Service Center	No	They are economically able too
Matelita	Jackson		No	
Michelle	Jacobsen	Retired SEA	No	
Sibyl	James		No	If they are requiring workers to drive to work, they should pay for parking.
sibyl	james		No	If workers are required to drive to work, employers should pay parking costs.
Gayle	Janzen		No	The carpenters are making the contractor bosses rich with their labor so why shouldn't they pay for their parking?? People are sick and tired of being screwed over by their wealthy bosses who have been used to getting richer at their employees' expense. Time for a change that distributes the wealth more fairly. We got your backs, carpenters!
Joe	Jarvis		No	
Leith	Jasinowski-Kahl	ILWU 19, but no, it would not at this time, nor in the foreseeable future.	No	
Gregory	Jaspan		No	Because they can easily afford it, whereas construction workers can't.
Ethan	Jennings		No	
Kathryn	Jensen		No	
Lisa	Jilk		No	Construction workers, along with others, should not have to pay for the cost of going to a work site.
Reverend Nathan	Jimenez National	Citizens Aware of Governent Activities SUPER PAC	No	

	Congressional Scholar			
Cari	Johnson		No	
Lorraine	Johnson		No	Fairness, equality for all
Rhonda	Johnson	SEIU Local 925	No	Because it's the moral thing to do!
Seth	Jones		No	
Nick	Jones	Socialist Alternative	No	It's criminal that such massive chucks of workers pay are being taken out of their pocket just for them to go to work! If the bosses want to make their millions, start by not gouging the very workers who create that wealth.
Craig	Jones		No	because it's the right thing to do
Ernest	Jones	N/A	No	Either that, or some type of rebate and/or parking permit.
Thomas	Jones		No	Because, parking is part of the cost of doing business, the business should pay for it.
Wendy	Joseph	UFCW 21	No	The cost of oarking is outrageous for workers.
Dominic	Jovanovich	luoe 302	No	Because they steal the surplus value of the working class to enrich themselves. Its the least they could do.
Rowen	Kade		No	
Dave	Kalata		No	As a cost of doing business, paying for worker parking makes sense.
Broehe	Karpenko		No	It is unethical to demand that workers pay out of pocket up to 6K every year just to do their job. Seattle can figure this out. No brainer.
Raghav	Kaushik		No	
Daniel	Kavanaugh	SA	No	I've worked in foodservice for years, and the few times I've worked downtown I've received parking passes. If management at cafes and restaurants can afford to pay, so can contractors of multi-million dollar construction projects, especially when trades workers don't have the option of taking public transit since they need to bring their tools to work.
Rachel	Kay	Seattle DSA	No	Parking is outrageously expensive & contracting companies shouldn't externalize the cost of their business on to workers.
Hila	Keller		No	
Diana	keller		No	
Ellen	Kendall		No	The bosses have more income
Chris	Kendra		No	
Riley	Keown	Washington State Nurses Association	No	
Ramy	Khalil	Seattle DSA	No	

SHAINA	Kilpatrick		No	This would increase productivity and ensure workers are excited to come to work, not taking more net wages away from their families.
Wes	Kim		No	
Sage	King		No	
Tyler	Kipling	UAW 4121	No	
Stephanie	Kiracofe		No	
Annette	Klapstein		No	All capitalists should pay for all worker expenses related to the work!
Mercedes'	Klein		No	
Emma	Klein	SEA	No	
Todd	Klempner	None	No	
Kekoa	Knief		No	
Linde	Knighton	WAPP I need permission to do this. Will Let you know.	No	The over use of the term, "Independent contractor for actual employees is unfair and illegal. Employees should not have to pay to work.
Madeline	Knowlton		No	
Jeremy	Knox		No	You shouldn't have to take money out of your own pocket just to park to be able to do your job. The company you work for should be paying for that
Julia	Kobelt		No	
Martha	Koester		No	They make plenty of profit and can afford it.
Laurel	Kramer	Retired	No	
Sean	Kraut		No	I think there should be a max per week the construction bosses should be responsible for, but they certainly should cover parking costs within reason.
Dennis	Kreiner		No	
Nyree	Krikorian	SEIU775 union member	No	It is unfair for the workers to pay to do their jobs, that's like taking a cut in their pay. The bosses who can afford this fee should be paying it as part.of their coat for doing business.
Leo	Kucewicz		No	
Leo	Kucewicz		No	They have more money, and can very well afford to do so:
Joshua	Kuramoto		No	
Elizabeth	Kwan		No	
Mercedes	Lackey	High Flight Arts and Letters	No	
Bia	Lacombe	Socialist Alternative	No	
Sagan	Lain		No	This is a necessary accommodation for your critical employees.

		actual costs, and the costs not transferred to the workers, in this case in the form of parking costs shouldered by construction workers, so that the decision to build which costs the rest of us in terms of noise, traffic blockage, business closure, loss of shops or residences will be made based on actual costs to investors.
kari langsea	No	Employers should cover the needs of their employees while on the job & if parking is part of that, then pay up and let the workers keep their earnings.
Emory LaRose	No	The construction worker has to park there for the job and all the costs associated with the job they are contracted for should be the responsibility of the contractor bosses. It's just common sense
Helen Larson UAW 4121	No	
Sarah Laslett	No	If contractors want construction workers to show up at multiple job sites with all of their tools and equipment, they should cover the cost of parking. Having to pay out of pocket in order to work amounts to a wage cut.
Charlene Lauzon	No	It is the right thing to do.
Meya Law	No	
Mercedes Lawry	No	
Heather Lawson	No	My father worked as a union carpenter for 40 years. He always drove his truck to work sites as he needed the tools and equipment he carried in the truck. Driving to work is not a luxury for construction workers, it is a necessity. They should be compensated for this necessary expense.
Leavitt Leavitt	No	Because construction workers have to park at various sites and cannot always use public transportation to get to work. Many job sites have very limited parking so at times workers have access only to expensive garage parking.
Susan Leavitt	No	cause at some work sites parking is prohibitively high and not affordable for most carpenters.
CORRY LEE-BOEHM	No	<u> </u>
Zu Leika	No	Parking fees amount to a reduction in hourly wage. This is not fair.
Nicholas Lenchner Mobile	No	
James Li	No	
Wayne Lichty	No	

Madisen	Lieberman- Koenig		No	
Eunice	Lin		No	There is far too much wealth inequality and here's one concrete way to support those struggling to make ends meet by those who profit off ways big and small
Virgene	Link-New	Dr. (Ms.)	No	Some locations, the cost for parking is extreme. They could also park at the construction office and van pool to the location.
Alan	Lloyd		No	
amanda	locke		No	
Emily	Lofquist		No	
Casey	Long		No	Money spent on parking needs to be put towards construction workers families, childrens education, and retirement
Lonnie	Lopez		No	
Nubia	Lopez		No	
Fred	Lopez		No	Of course
Ray	LOU	Mx	No	
Tylor	Lovins		No	If contractor bosses don't pay for all construction workers' parking costs, these costs are essentially displaced taxesfrom businesses to workers, making the worker pay for what s/he cannot but do in order to stay employed, and allowing the business to benefit by not having to front costs for parking on sites for jobs on which they bid.
Cathy	Low		No	Everyday, everywhere, massive amounts of construction is going on. My husband & son have both worked in the industry. We know how extremely hard the work is, and can be dangerous. They buy \$1000s of needed personal equipment that often gets stolen. They rarely stop to eat. They are doing injury to their own bodies much of the time. I wish they were in a union. The income gap is becoming a sad sad part in all of the world, the US, and is clearly an unfair reality here in Seattle. For the love of God, you MUST find it in your hearts to, at THE VERY LEAST, have the contractors PAY FOR THEIR PARKING!!!!!
Paula	Lukaszek	WFSE Local 1488	No	There are a lot of Unions and non Union employers who require folks to provide alot of their own tools which means hauling them to a job site. Its almost impossible to do this on mass transit.
Stephanie	Lunt	None	No	
Dennis	Mace	Mace Martial Arts	No	
Alex	Mach		No	
Tina	Maestas		No	
Erin	Magan	None	No	City parking is a huge cost of working in the city that would incur hardship on workers.

Gabriel	Mahan		No	You shouldn't have to pay for parking just to go to work!
Christopher	Maikisch	UFCW 21	No	Pay should be pay, not siphoned off with a million costs to work
Angela	Maioriello		No	Employers should cover work-related expenses for their employees to do their jobs. I worked for Spokane County and my parking/fine fees each month were ridiculous.
Shannon	Markley		No	No, construction workers can carpool and/or take public transportation like everyone else. Paying for parking only encourages people to drive.
Rebekah	Marquez		No	
Tim	Marshall		No	
Scott	Marshall		No	
Justin	Martin		No	
Mira	Martinovic		No	Seattle has no good public transportation for anyone (it takes over 1.5 hours in peak time (!) to get from north Seattle to my office in Renton, for instance, so I am forced to drive to be able to get to work and get back home), AND Seattle is becoming so expensive, and parking follows the trend. That all means, if we have to spend 3 hours or more in traffic to get to and from work in peak hours every day, OR spend \$20 and upward for parking every day, our pay is decreased. When everything in Seattle is getting more expensive (look at the price of meat, kids' activities, rent (!)), our pay becomes less and less sustainable. If we spend 3 or more hours on public transit, we spend less time with our families, community, giving back in all the ways we could if we had that time free. For carpenters, who shift their working places all the time, it's even more precarious, because they have no opportunity to pay lower rates monthly parking, and their get-to-work-on-public-transit time changes all the time. Carpenters need their vehicles, they are sent wherever their businesses send them, and they are expected to accept pay decrease for it, while their companies benefit. Not the American Way.
Nel	Mascall		No	
Isabel	Mata	None	No	
Carrie	Matthews		No	Not paying parking is a kind of wage theft.
	Matthis		No	It's the right thing to do.
Leslie			No	
Leslie Carolena	Matus			
	Matus May		No	
Carolena			No No	No worker should lose money all day because they are at work.
Carolena Rosalie	May	UAW Local 31		No worker should lose money all day because they are at work. Because workers create all profits and have been getting a raw deal for decades.

Laura	McCabe		No	Construction workers should have free on-site parking and have their travel time & expenses (bringing tools etc. to job) fully compensated.
Jillian	mccone		No	
Matthew	Mccord		No	
Amanda	McCourt	uaw4121	No	Ofc. How ridiculous is it to be forced to pay-to-work?
Jonna	McCurry		No	
Jennifer	McDanials		No	
Alora	McGavin		No	
Walter	McGerry		No	This overhead cost should not be placed on the people who create but taken from the profits of the capitalists.
Kim	McGillivray		No	Construction workers shoulder the load literally to build this city. Their pay, however, does not reflect the importance of their effort. For these crucial workers to be subjected to the city's parking fees, or fines, when their salaries already push many of them below 50% AMI is shameful. Any person or entity that can afford a construction project in Seattle can afford to subsidize workers' parking costs as well.
Tina	McKim		No	, ,
David	McLanahan		No	
John	McLeod		No	It's a job-related expense, the employer should compensate
Mona	Mehdy		No	Given demands of jobs, this should be covered employer expense
Annie	Melcher		No	
Breona	Mendoza		No	My dad was a construction work and the boss of a construction company. I heard a lot about the difficulties of parking growing up and he often got home late at night because jobs took longer than expected having to haul all their heavy equipment to different sites. This makes no sense for the companies to not cover their parking. This is a necessary part of what it takes to build something in a city. They are trying to cut corners and are making it more difficult for people to do their jobs. We as citizens need our construction workers to have the proper tools they need so that the architecture they create is sound. Parking is essential to their job and they need their tools close. They should not be having to pay for this.
Nicole	Merat		No	Because these contractors are reaping more profits than the workers who work for them will ever be paid. At the bare minimum, employers should be reimbursing public transit fees/subsidizing orca cards. There a many folks without access to public transit, though, and they shouldn't be excluded from receiving support to get to work.
Mario	Meresbang		No	

Rebecca	Meriwood		No	Having to pay to work is bullshit. Free parking, paid lunch, safe working conditions. All part of the what any worker needs
Robert	Meyer	N/A	No	It should be a benefit for anyonenworking downtown who is expected to bring their tools with them. Frankly, the same should go for working musicians.
Peter	MICHAELS		No	
Tiffany	Mikes	None	No	Their vehicle is required for them to do their work. They don't have a choice to take alternative transport. One cannot simply work without the necessary toolsor even always know what tools will be required on any given day.
Tim	Miller		No	
Natalie	Miller		No	
Andrew	Miller		No	
Mariah	Mitchell		No	Parking enforcement is making is hard for us to return to 'normal' parking enforcement are evil people running around ruining lives with tickets and infractions to keep padding the pockets of these corrupt US Justices like Mary Yu!
RONNIE	MITCHELL		No	
Libby	Molamphy		No	
Vanetta	Molson-Turner		No	
Gabriella	Montoya		No	Workers should not have to pay just to show up and do their job when the companies that employee them can more than afford to cover this cost for them. Companies that profit off of the labor of others should pay these costs, plain and simple!
Rira	Moon		No	
Sue	Moon		No	
Kahla	Moonlock		No	
Robert	Moore		No	Cost of business
Thomas	Moriarty	Actors' Equity Association	No	You want workers to pay *\$400 per month* to do YOUR projects? That's \$4,800.00/year, which is CRAZY! Either cover parking, or increase their pay to do the same. Without skilled union labor your projects to NOT get done. Just look at paying parking as part of the cost of doing business. I'm sure the city, county, and state tax breaks you're getting to build your projects will MORE than cover the added parking expense!
Sarah	Morken		No	People who work in the city should not have to pay for parking! The city cannot run and be built without them. Make the contractors charge the wealthy people who hired them pay for the parking.
Scott	Morrow	none	No	They can afford it!

Margot	Mott-Smith		No	The parking costs are incurred only because of the work they are doing for their bosses. Parking should be a cost factored into each project, not a penalty paid by the least powerful - but most necessary - members of the team completing the project.
Kristin	Mowery		No	
James	Mulcare	N/A	No	Costs can be considered in bids.
meagan	murphy		No	Because the bosses will never worry about money for housing, food and kids. The workers will have to worry about everyday expenses. This is wrong!!!
Patricia	Murphy	None	No	Parking costs lower wages or act as an unpredictable tax on workers. You shouldn't have to pay to go to work.
clayton	murray		No	
Richard	Musser	Seattle Education Association	No	To force a worker to pay to work is equivalent to a pay cut. Completely out of bounds.
Erika	Myers		No	workers shouldn't have to pay to park their cars to work at construction sites worth millions or more.
Tori	Nakamatsu- Figaroa		No	
Nikki	Nash		No	It's only equitable
Aubrey	Nehring		No	These costs should be the responsibility of the hiring contractors rather than passing them on to the workers
Doug	Newman		No	
Kathy	Nguyen		No	
Jean	Nichols	No	No	
Erin	Nichols	Afscme	No	It's seriously the least they can do
Jennifer	Nickerson		No	If they can't afford to live here, or at the very least park here, how can they possibly work here?
Lauren	Nickle		No	
Lisa	Nikodem		No	Contractors should not pass the cost of doing business on to workers.
Conor	Nivens-Reynard	_	No	Why should you pay someone to go to work? We already have to spend the gas just finding somewhere to park. It adds up quick.
Gretchen	Novasio		No	Construction workers try to find free or cheaper parking because this city charges a lot for parking and who can afford it? The workers end up taking up parking used by residents. Seattle wants to promote public transportation which is lousy for the most part. Give workers a break.

Anessa	Novasio		No	My husband is an electrician. It's a significant burden for him and other workers to pay for parking in this city. Workers should not bear that burden which decreases the take home pay they need to support themselves and their households.
Kay	Nugent		No	
George	Nugent		No	Commercial real estate makes money more than any other business and control the politics of Seattle. These people can afford to pay for their workers expensive parking.
Clay	Oakey		No	Safety for workers, guaranteed parking, lessen traffic, overcome parking in neighborhoods.
Clay	Oakey		No	The expense of working in the city should be paid for by corporations.
Mark	O'Connell		No	
Kurt	Ofsthus	Former SEIU 1199 Delegate	No	It's time to get a strong contract for our carpenters and parking costs should not be shouldered by workers.
Sierra	Ohlsen		No	
Marlena	Okimow		No	
Ella	Olsen		No	
Larkin	Omenn		No	
Olivia	One Feather		No	I work Temp jobs for construction some times and they don't pay very well to add parking on top of getting to the job site is unfair. Please hold them accountable.
Charles	Orth		No	
Tyler	Otto		No	
Dogan	Ozkan		No	
Andres	Pacheco		No	
lan	Page-Echols	Have friends working in construction	No	
Angela	Paradiso		No	Vehicular commuting is unavoidable for construction workers. Employers have a duty to provide safe and reliable access to parking without burdening their employees with the costs.
Monal	Pathak		No	Tech companies pay for their employees to commute to work; construction workers make far less money than tech workers. Are we a city that will stand by and watch the more upwardly mobile in our community receive greater benefits than those who don't need such freebies? Why should we, especially when we have the legislative power to make working in this great city easier for everyone who has to be here?

Jeff	Paul	Seattle Education Association	No	Just like educators shouldn't have to pay for the supplies we have to have in ourder to teach, construction workers shouldn't have to pay for the parking they need to work and make money for their bosses.
Samantha	Paulin-Wieland		No	Workers should not have to pay for the expenses associated with the work they do!
Fay	Payton		No	Seattle has very high parking rates. The workers have to use their cars to get there. They're basically being docked for every day they work, making their real pay very much lower than agreed.
Lauren	Pearce		No	It's part of the cost of having crew there. Budget for it.
Tia	Pearson	none	No	The incured expense relates to job. The burden should fall on company
Sean	Peckham		No	Because they are the contractors, they are the ones that negotiated how much will be paid for the job, they are the ones that should factor the costs into that estimate and not effectively gouge it out of workers' income, which contractors probably didn't factor parking costs into either, because the costs are site-dependent and they're surely not renegotiating workers' income on a site-by-site basis. In sum, it is part of the cost of doing business, and workers are contributing their labor, not the decision-making on which overall costs to incur; it makes no sense to pay money for access to money unless you are an investor or entrepreneur or, for example, a general contractor. Making workers pay for parking has no fair logic to it, it is simply something bosses profit from at worker expense because they can. Since they're abusing this freedom, you need to make it so they can't.
Greta	Pedersen		No	It's only fair
Juan	Peralez	Retired	No	Should be their cost of doing business just like paying blueprints and permits.
Eileen	Perfrement		No	
Leah	Perlmutter	UAW 4121	No	Making workers pay 3% of their wages for parking is equivalent to a 3% wage cut! Since workers are driving their equipment to work, paying for parking is equivalent to providing the equipment needed to work, which is the emloyer's responsibility.
Emily	Perry		No	
Elsbeth	Perry		No	Parking is too expensive and arbitrary to leave uncovered by the employer. Free parking is unavailable at many job sites. The cost burden of parking should be built into the budget for the project and covered in the overall project's costs paid by the contractor or construction company, not by individual employees.
Stephanie	Peterson		No	Because it's the right thing to do.
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Mason	Pew		No	Workers should not be subject to the increasing cost of parking, it is the investor who stands to profit and who chooses to build in an area with or without access to free parking for reasons of profit. The cost of parking should be applied to the contractor aa the party with agency in siting construction
Charyn	Pfeuffer		No	
Linda	Phan		No	Parking is a necessary cost to get to work! That shouldn't come out of personal wagesthat is exploitive and inhumane. Do the bare minimum by covering parking costs so your workers can commute.
Justin	Philipps		No	
Barbara	Phinney	AFGE 3197 (for ID only)	No	Because construction workers in Seattle are being squeezed and harmed by Seattle's increasing unaffordability while the big contractors are making huge profits. Mandating that contractor bosses pay all parking for Seattle construction workers, who can't take public transit because of their work conditions, makes good sense. Thank you, CM Sawant for standing with and advocating unabashedly for workers. It helps everyone!
Barbara	Phinney	AFGE 3197	No	Seattle has become so unaffordable that even construction workers can't live here anymore and have to drive into the city jobsite because their work conditions preclude taking public transit. Parking downtown is astronomically expensive. This legislation from CM Sawant supports workers and the tradespeople we need to build LOTS more affordable housing. Show solidarity with construction workers today and pass this legislation.
Sengrithey	Pich		No	
katherine	pierini		No	parking fees are so expensivea worker shouldn't have to pay when they have no choice where their workplace is
Hal	Pillinger	- Select -	No	
Laura	Pinilla		No	Construction workers have no say in where their projects will be. It needs to be a project expense not a worker's expense.
Jessica	Piraino		No	
Miriama	Pitts		No	
Joe	Plummer		No	Construction workers' should not have to bear those costs!
Sonja	Ponath	Socialist Alternative	No	Parking is astronomical in Seattle and these workers are building this city and they are not paid what they are worth. Developers should pay for this cost.
Chelsie	Porter		No	Eat the rich
Jennifer	Post	Olympia DSA	No	
Acacia	Pottschmidt		No	

Eugenia	Prezhdo		No	You shouldn't have to pay to go to work. If driving a truck full of tools is not optional, it should be expensed by the worker's boss, or whoever is making a profit from their labor.
Sarah	Prince	IBT APA1224	No	This is clearly part of the job that they are required to do and thus they should be compensated for it. I can't think of any other business that requires their employees to pay for parking at their own job. It's just absurd that this is even happening. Get it together.
Caprice	Procarione		No	
Caprice	Procarione		No	It should be the responsibility of the contractor to pay all parking costs. If the contractor won't pay the parking costs then all construction workers should receive a raise in order to cover the costs.
Grace	Proffitt		No	Employees should not have to pay out of pocket for costs of their job. That is the employer's responsibility.
Reed	Purvis		No	
Damien	Quartz		No	Workers should not have to take what is essentially a pay cut to park vehicles at job sites in areas of town without free parking.
Jorge	Quiroga	Retairy	No	
April	Rada		No	The bosses need the workers to work, and they have to park to do that. It's required by the job so it should be covered for the workers.
Mica	Rambin		No	
Kirk	Ramble	USPS	No	
Nina	Ramos		No	It's the right thing to do.
Sunny	Rao		No	Nobody should have to pay to go to work, which is essentially what forcing construction workers to pay for parking is as they are forced to do so because they must bring equipment.
Christian	Rasmussen	IAMAW	No	
Connor	Rauch		No	
Imani	Raunig		No	Any cost that a worker is required to pay for the express purpose of fulfilling their job should be offset by the employer. It's time that working people everywhere start demanding common sense solutions to the growing divide between pay for working people and corporate profits.
Samuel	Raymer		No	
Peter	Reagel		No	
Liz	Reed Hawk		No	

Doro	Reeves	Non-applicable	No	Paying thousands of dollars per year just for parking at one's job seems a tad unreasonable, methinks. It pains me to have to ask for something as basic as relief from a burden like this, in behalf of Seattle's construction workers. If the City Council doesn't have the decency to exempt construction workers from this burden, it seems to me those workers' bosses, the ones profiting from their labor, should be picking up the tab. This is ridiculous.
Danica	Reinicke		No	
Dejah	Renaud		No	At times the cost to park relatively close to your job site is out of your monthly budget for transportation. Moving your vehicle often to avoid these cost is timely and unfortunately not reliable due to job demands.
Catlin	Rene		No	
David	Reuter	ATU 587	No	Because they have so much more money than ordinary workers, and many construction workers have to drive to work. It sucks that they have to pay a tax on their ability to work through parking costs, and that the employers have chosen to save a buck rather than help out ordinary working people.
Modesta	Reyes		No	
Clayton	Richardson		No	
Charles	Riddle		No	It doesn't waste time with having to pay
Jennifer	Riker		No	They have the ability to afford it while the crew is just making it and this cost hurts then.
Kristin	Rivas		No	It's the right thing to do
Jorge	Rivero		No	
Dan	Roach		No	
Daniel	Roberts	AFM Local 76-493	No	Common decency
Katie	Robinson		No	

Erica	Robinson		No	I firmly believe in employer's responsibility to cover 100% of unavoidable jobsite-related costs, which includes parking. It is outrageous to expect someone working a jobsite downtown to spend 30-60 min of their working day just covering the cost to be there. They are already covering the car and the gas and the commute time (and possibly road tolls) to get there, not to mention the time and hassle to actually access a parking space. Putting this responsibility on the employers creates incentive to use a less expensive and more convenient solution for everyone - leasing part of a garage leaves no questions about where to park and saves employees from needing to allocate extra time to look for an open spot and keeps other nearby parking available to everyone else. Failing that, it is only fair to reimburse the daily cost if your employee is tasked with the unpaid labor of finding parking themselves.
Hailey	Robinson		No	pariting triombotton
Leonor	Robles		No	If you require people to drive as part of their job, then you need to pay for that. That should be part of the cost of doing business in those areas and added to construction costs.
Jacqueline	Rock		No	
Sam	Rogers		No	
Malcolm	Rogers	N/A	No	To help with the cost of living for lower paid workers and pass the burden onto the contract for building .
Deborah	Rohan		No	Working class people are always asked to shoulder the burden of regressive taxes and fees well trying to make a living, and creating more wealth for their employers. Employers should pay these costs.
Alex	Rollosson Halbhuber		No	
Hannah	Rose		No	
Jonathan	Rosenblum	National Writers Union	No	The workers who build our city should not have to pay thousands of dollars a year for parking. The billionaire developers must pay!
Emily	Roskey		No	
Samwise	Rowe		No	
Robin	Rowedder		No	The contractors are extremely wealthy. They buy properties below market value and sell for 10-fold profits. They can easily afford to pay for parking for their workers.
Sareni	Ruiz		No	
Elena	Rumiantseva		No	
elizabeth	russell		No	The cost of parking in Seattle is prohibitive. Workers are paying 2-3 hours of their days work on parking.

Selene	Russo		No	Parking is expensive, and a job requirement. This should be paid by the contractor, not the employee.
Chelsea	Rustad	AFSCME	No	
Preston	Sahabu	UAW 4121	No	
Melanie	Salazar		No	
Gloria	Samuels		No	
Elainr	Samuels	None	No	
Erik	Sanchez		No	If the boss can get the contract then securing parking for their employees should be included. The only reason they pay now is because of greed, plain and simple
JACOB	SARB		No	
Matthew	Saunders		No	Work that requires travel, especially in a downtown core that has market rate parking, burdens the worker while benefiting the contractor and company hiring the contractor. I also believe that companies should pay for transportation and parking cost if the work requires travel to different sites or to carry equipment.
Tyler	Saxon	Bellevue College Association for Higher Education	No	
Amanda	Saxton		No	It is not fair to expect employees to pay for fees associated with their job duties.
Jessica	Scalzo		No	
Ruth	Schaefer	Local 17 (retired)	No	Journeymen carpenters are building Seattle into a world class city, but they don't earn enough to afford to live here. The least their bosses can do is pay for their parking.
Victoria	Schauseil		No	The people who are building our homes and offices in Seattle should not have to pay for parking.
Leslie	Schear		No	Parking is expensive, hours add up quickly and significantly cut into take home pay.
Morgan	Scheuttle		No	
Nicholas	Schiaffino		No	
Sara	Schillinger		No	
Ann	Schlossman	Sea	No	Bosses are making more money but making their employees pay for more things. Parking should be part of the job cost.
Dave	Schuldt		No	The contractors can afford it and if my memory is correct some of them used to.
Sadie	Schutt		No	They're profiting off the labor provided by these workers and if they want to show support for their workers they should want to provide free parking, liveable wages and solid benefits so everyone is happy.

Jean	Schwinberg		No	
Krystyana	Scott		No	Simply, it is a business expense. The business should be the one charged.
Courtney	Scott	N/A	No	
Morgen	Sellier		No	
Ana	Sepetovska		No	Because if they need to park for their job and to do their job it's should be on the employer to pay for it.
Lauren	Sewell		No	
Lissa	Shaman	REA	No	Pay hardworking people what they earned! No more unpaid labor!
Sundar	Sharma	PROTEC17	No	Because the people building our city shouldn't have to pay a huge chunk of their wages just to park here.
Anbar	Sheikh		No	
joyce	shiffrin		No	
joyce	shiffrin		No	
Victoria	Shubert		No	As some who has had to pay for parking at work I know first hand what a financial burden it is. I literally went into debt working for one employer paying for parking. The nature of construction work means there is no designated parking, no free lot, no public transportation options etc. Contractors should factor this in much the way many employers will give you a parking pass or Orca card.
Dale	Shultz		No	
William	Siegel		No	Why should people pay in-order to work? The agreement is labor=salary not labor+parking
Lisa	Sillence		No	
Andrew	Simeone		No	
Micaiah	Simon		No	
gail	simon		No	if required to use their own cars and street (free) parking is not available, construction workers should be compensated for parking costs. Even out the playing field just a tiny bit.
Sofia	Simonton Siegel		No	
brian	simpson		No	
Jugraj	Singh		No	Either provide public transport for the workers which is reliable and fast. Or pay for their parking if not for the gas money they spend on it. It adds up quickly.
Emilie	Slater		No	Because workers should not have to pay to work.
	Smason	AFM Local 76-493	No	they have more \$

Marc	Smason	AFM Local 76-493 (i sent email now to them)	No	parking is affordable by rich people only.
Kristina	Smelser		No	We cannot expect that these workers can continue to do this essential work unless they are able to sustain themselves. Parking is a huge component of this for low income workers.
Charles	Smith		No	
Curtis	Smith	Seiu 775	No	Fair
James	Snell		No	
Thalassa	Snow		No	Because they're bringing in millions in revenue, they should support their employees if even in small ways, to improve the quality of our lives.
Katie	Snow	Pse	No	You should not have to pay to work.
Patrick	Soby		No	
Jennifer	Soriano	ufcw21	No	Workers compensation
Sally	Soriano	32nd LD Democrats PCO 2216	No	I strongly support Councilmember Sawant's legislation requiring contractors to pay 100% of parking for all carpenters and construction workers. Contractors make billions of the backs of carpenters and construction workers and such a pay-for-parking requirement for contractors would be no different from the City requiring employers to meet other employment standards.
Madeleine	Sosin		No	
Rania	Spade		No	
Scott	Species	Salutation*	No	
Sheri	Staley		No	
Vincenza	Standridge		No	Cause the cost of living, driving around, and parking in seattle is ridiculous.
Diane	Ste Marie		No	
jay	steele		No	
Lori	Stefano	Lori Stefano, Freelance Court Reporter	No	Seattle parking costs are egregious. ALL employees should be reimbursed, not just construction workers!
James	Steffen		No	
Kim	Steffen		No	
Kim	Steffen		No	
Julie	Steinbacher		No	Contractors need to be more accountable for taking care of their employees, especially when those are hourly-wage makers.
Heather	Steiner	SEIU775	No	Parking is insanely expensive in the metro SEA area! There is no way these workers who are underpaid for their very physical and stressful work should also be coughing up \$12-20/day (\$360-600/month!!!!!!)

Heather	Steiner	SEIU775	No	I worked in construction for many years and I know firsthand how hard the work is and how little these workers are paid for such strenuous labor. There is no way they should be paying \$12-20/day (\$360-600/month!) to park in the metro Seattle area- it costs a fortune to park here! \$1.50-2.50/hr depending on what area of town you're in.
Isaac	Stephens		No	
Robert	Stephens Jr	Veteran Service Office	No	Help support their ability to do their work, with lower cost
Denise	Sterchi	DSA, Kadima Reconstructionist Community, Jewish Voice for Peace	No	Because it is a basic employee expense! And the workers have no control over where they work. If their boss has a project with steep parking fees, the boss should pay for the parking fees. I am a former state employee who provided services outside my clinic. I would have been reimbursed for any parking costs!
Bradley	Stevens	Teamsters 117	No	If their work performance is dependent on parking, then it is a cost of business that should be put on the employers.
Auna	Stewart		No	
Matthew	Stewart		No	Contractor bosses' forcing workers to subsidize their own transportation costs is tantamount to stealing.
Matt	Stewart		No	This would be a good tax cut for people that deserve it.
David	Story	Machinists Union LL44	No	We're doing the work at the location of their choosing. Either setup free parking and bus people in on the clock or pay the damn fees. No one pays to work.
Brynn	Strader		No	
Carolann	Streett		No	
Brenna	Stroup	Resident & Fellow Physician Union - Northwest	No	
Linda	Strout		No	You can't build without construction workers.
Barbara	Suder		No	They have the profits. At least pay most of the parking fees.
Joe	Sugrue	Seattle Education Association	No	
Mark	Sullo		No	
George	Summers	n/a	No	The contractor benefits from the workers.
Trinity	Sumner	Teamsters local 174	No	Parking takes a significant chunk out of their income. Construction work is brutal and dangerous. It's a huge sacrifice to be doing that type of labor and they should be paid well for it. Less dangerous trades that are on the same sites get paid more than they do and it's not right. Most jobs do not require you to pay for parking so it doesn't make sense that they should have to.
daniel	swanson	socialist alternative	No	workers should not have to pay \$4 an hour to park downtown! that's a huge cut from their paycheck.

Hannah	Swanson		No	Many construction workers already have to travel far from north or south of the City due to the unaffordable housing crisis. Covering the cost of parking is the bare minimum that should be provided to these workers!
Catherine	Swedberg		No	it should not cost people hundreds of dollars to show up for work.
Lily	Sweeney	N/A	No	
BRIDGET	SWIRSKI		No	This should be considered the cost of doing business.
mushtaq	syed	self	No	
Madison	Szmidt		No	
David	Tabet	IATSE	No	The cost of all logistics related to labor are the responsibility of the employer. The laborer must be compensated fairly and parking fees remove that compensation from their pockets as they make it.
Assegid	Tafesse		No	
Karen	Taylor		No	
Dawn	Taylor		No	
Eleisha	Tcimpidis		No	
Cornelia	Teed		No	
Scott	Tennant	UBC 96	No	These are costs to work a job and should be covered fully under the contract.
Ambika	Terhanian	Concrete mason	No	My boyfriend has gotten atleast 5 parking tickets in the last year for parking near his job sites. With paid for, designated parking, workers will not have to worry about getting parking tickets while on the job site. Plus, it will help workers get to work on time and not worry about having to pay for parking before work, which usually starts at 6:30am
Jon	Terpak		No	
Trip	Terrano		No	This business expense should be part of ANY construction project, not put onto workersbill the project, not the workers
kelemua	tesfaye		No	
Mary	Tetrault		No	Parking downtown is exorbitant and should be considered in a worker's pay.
Robyn	Thompson		No	
Chris	Thompson		No	It's a cost of employing people, but being passed on to the employee
Chris	Thomsen	UFCW21	No	parking costs for workers should be covered by the employers.
John	Thottam		No	It's fair
Alison	Tibbals		No	Parking is difficult even if you can afford it. The workers shouldn't have to pay to work.
Rita	Tower	None	No	Construction workers are essential to the job but get paid very little in comparison to others. Parking is essential and should be paid by the company not the workers.

Johnny	Townsend		No	It's like hiring someone to be a City bus driver but asking the driver to provide the bus. The parking fees should be the responsibility of the employer who needs employees to park and carry necessary tools to complete the job they're hired for.
Lauren	Tozzi	Settle Labor Chorus	No	Parking is expensive!
Ellen	Tracht		No	Parking is too expensive. They work hard and should not have to pay just to get to their work site. It is not equitable and is an undue expense for working people.
Ellen	Tracht	na	No	I find it very interesting that those contractors and corporations can not afford such a simple request from the people building Seattle. Please consider providing all workers a place to park. I am sure you can.
E.	Tracht	na	No	
John	Travena		No	Construction is skilled and dangerous work. The bosses are paid. The workers should be paid appropriately too. \$400 a month for parking is another bill like daycare.
Thomas	Trescone		No	Because it is a HUGE burden on the workers!
Steven	Trevallee		No	
David	Trotter	NA	No	
Justin	Truong		No	
Pelin	Tunaydin		No	
Katherine	Turner		No	
Cicely	Turner		No	Contractor Bosses/CEO should be liable because it's their company & employee parking is apart of the job site. Besides, contractor bosses can utilize employee parking as a business expense on their tax returns for tax deductions.
Tricia	Turton	Arcaro Boxing Gym LLC	No	Because you shouldn't have to pay to work. You should get paid. The contractors should work out a parking permit system with the city. They pay for permits for all their employees parking needs for the duration of the project.
Alison	Underdahl	SEA	No	
Sara	Valade		No	
Amanda	Van Ausdal		No	
Maximiliaan	van Ginneken		No	
Jordan	Van Voast		No	Fair wages and working conditions for all workers. No profit skimming and fee impositions by bosses on the backs of workers.
Lauren	VanWormer		No	
Reed	Vasey		No	
Kyle	Vekos		No	It's the cost of doing business. Deal with it.

Brian	Venable		No	B/c transit isn't practical w/ equip they bring & most ALREADY carpool!
Kevin	Vitz-Wong	SEA	No	Unprecedented industry profits while the workers eat costs is simply wrong.
Michael	Vitz-Wong	Socialist Alternative	No	
Amy	Vong		No	
Siamak	Vossoughi		No	
Isaac	Wagnitz	UFCW Local 367, Olympia DSA	No	Because bosses should cover all their employees' work-related expenses, period.
Zoe	Wahbeh		No	
Susanna	Waldrop		No	
Wilder	Walker		No	Because they make a way bigger salary and should cover the cost!
Amy	Walker-Banks		No	I feel that a company should pay the parking fees if construction workers are required to bring equipment needed for the job to the job site.
Janice	Wall		No	Because it's the right thing to do it otherwise reduces their income
Jennifer	Ward		No	Part of paying construction workers fairly includes making sure they don't pay for parking out of pocket!
Raine	Warden		No	Imagine if they tried to take public transit instead. If their own equipment and a vehicle are already requirements of the job (ones the contractor is already bearing the expense burden of), taking care of parking is the least bosses can do. It's a wildly variable cost that varies from site to site, there's no way a contractor can reasonably pro-rate that.
Lilith	Washburn		No	
Benjamin	Watkins		No	
Beth	Watson		No	
Edwin	Webb		No	Charging employees to park at their jobs is ridiculous. Will employers start making their employees pay their electric bills too? Should workers pay their employers rent? Should employees be required to shop at the company store? It's friggen abuse to make employees pay the company overhead.
Rachel	Werther		No	Providing consistent access to a workspace is a responsibility of employers.
Rusty	West		No	It is the RIGHT thing to do!
Robert	Westervelt		No	
David	Westman	IFPTE Local 2001 (SPEEA) Retired	No	Because the workers must drive long distances to make big profits for the contractors

Liz	White		No	Had no idea they weren't reimbursed for this!! With their hours, and tools to carry, transit isn't an option.
Evan	Wiederspan		No	
Dolores	Wiens		No	
dolores	wiens		No	
dolores	wiens		No	Parking should not take away compensation amount. It penalizes the worker.
Anne	Wilce		No	I used to work on construction sites and no the struggles of finding and paying for parking. It should not be on the worker to pay for
Devin	Wilkinson		No	
Michael	Williams		No	
Jeffrey	Wilner	None	No	
Tony	Wilsdon		No	Working people can't afford to commute and work in the city. But they can't afford to live here either. Time to enact some serious changes.
McKenzie	Wilson		No	It's an expense. Businesses can write off expenses, workers can not. Businesses make that much more by making workers pay their expenses for them.
r	wood		No	
Deborah	Woodard		No	
Carmen	Woodson		No	
Kristin	Wright		No	
Brian	Wright	CWA	No	
Joan	Wright		No	
jenny	wyatt		No	
DAVID	YAO	APWU	No	
Katherine	Yasi	Katherine Yasi	No	Parking cab be a huge expense, especially downtown. The contractor companies can figure out how they can pay for parking. It should not be on the backs of workers.
Regina	Yazzie		No	My brother is journeyman and he lives along so he cannot afford parking which is why he doesn't accept jobs downtown
Angeline	Zalben		No	
Patty	Zeitlin	НОА	No	Because no free parking is provided and it's very expensive, reducing the worker's earnings considerably so it is only fair that this be paid.
Adam	Ziemkowski	Socialist Alternative	No	'
Ames	Zocchi	NA	No	Construction workers should not have to worry that they will be ticketed, towed, or have to pay parking every single day they work. It takes away from their work, and it punishes and limits working class folks.

Marlowe	Zoller	WPEA 365	No	Workers should not have to pay for their own parking when companies and owners have more than enough.
Tatiana	Zolotareva	- Select -	No	The construction workers come to the sites to do the work that hugely benefits their bosses. The workers should make good money, have all protection from danger on the job and have free parking and other benefits.
Charles	Cramer			
Sarah	Gunderson			